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FORTY SOVIET PLANES CROSS MANCHUKUO BORDER

Japanese Infantry Positions At Changkufeng Bombed Prince Konoye Reports To Emperor On The Situation

TOKYO, AUGUST 2. ABOUT A BATTALION OF SOVIET TROOPS ASSISTED BY NINE TANKS ATTACKED JAPANESE FORCES AT CHANGKUFENG this morning states a communique by the Korean Army Headquarters. Three of the tanks were badly damaged and abandoned.

THE COMMUNIQUE ADDS THAT MORE THAN TEN SOVIET PLANES, flying in formation, crossed the Manchukuo border at 7.30 this morning and bombed Changkufeng and Klushagang.

The Japanese kept up patience in the face of this provocative move.—(Reuters).

A TRANSOCEAN MESSAGE STATES THAT FORTY SOVIET PLANES took part in the air raid this morning, the objective of which was the Japanese infantry positions. General Vodo who arrived here today from Hankow declared to press representatives that the Manchurian frontier is so strongly fortified that no serious danger could arise from incidents of this kind.

BODIES FOUND

Kijo, Aug. 2. A Korean Army headquarters communique issued at 11.45 this morning stated that after further scouring was carried out in the Shatsaping and Changkufeng

areas, 20 bodies of Soviet soldiers were found bringing the total so far discovered up to over 70.

The communique states that Soviet losses in the course of Sunday morning's clash were far heavier than expected.—(Reuters).

ITAGAKI EXPLAINS

Tokyo, Aug. 2. General Itagaki, Japanese War Minister, explained the development of the border incident in the course of the regular meeting of the Japanese Cabinet this morning. Ugaki also explained the attitude of the Japanese Government regarding the present negotiations with the Soviet Government.

Prince Konoye, Premier, this afternoon proceeded to Hayama where the Emperor is staying and made a report to the Throne on the present state of affairs.—(Reuters).

STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE OF CHANGKUFENG

London, Aug. 2. If the facts of the Soviet-Japanese clash are carefully examined it is not easy to say why it should have led to such a grave crisis, comments the Manchester Guardian. The

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Londoners Enjoy Bank Holiday

London, August 2. Londoners enjoyed one of the best August bank holidays yesterday when the temperature reached 85 degrees and there was plentiful sunshine.

Some found difficulty in getting home owing to the crowded transportation.

A party at Ramsgate experienced what was described as a shipwreck, without its attendant dangers when the ship in which they were cruising grounded on a sandbank and the passengers had to be landed by a Ramsgate lifeboat.

The people on land cheered as the lifeboat landed its load ashore.—(Reuters Bulletin).

Fighting Near Shanghai

Shanghai, Aug. 2. Chinese mobile units attacked the Japanese at Nanzhang, on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway, 25 miles west of Shanghai, yesterday. All bus services from Soochow and Wushu to Nanzhang were suspended.

Guerillas were also active at Quinsan, west of Nanzhang, and on July 30 the Japanese garrison were forced to withdraw to the town proper.

Wushu, another railway town farther to the west, was subjected to guerrilla attacks at the North Gate and South Gate, where the Japanese suffered over fifty casualties.

Communications between Pootung and Nantao were still interrupted today.

Cut off from the interior, the prices of vegetables in the International Settlement are soaring to new heights.

About 800 urns containing the ashes of fallen Japanese soldiers and sailors in the Kiangsi campaign were loaded on the Tanjo Maru, a transport, today to be shipped back to Japan for burial.—(International).

KING'S VISIT TO FRANCE



The King signing the Golden Book at the Unknown Warrior's Tomb in Paris.

KING SPENDS DAY AT BOYS' CAMP

London, August 2. The King, who with his family is cruising the east coast aboard the Royal Yacht which anchored off Southwold went ashore this morning to visit the Boys' Camp which His Majesty formed when he was Duke of York.

His Majesty is spending the day with the boys.—(Reuters Bulletin).

KING HAAGON'S BIRTHDAY



King Haakon of Norway will celebrate his 68th birthday today.

MANY LEADERS ARRIVE IN CHUNGKING

Chungking, August 2. General Ho Chien, Minister of Interior, and Messrs. Hsu Kan and Tsou Lin, Vice-Ministers of Finance, arrived here from Hankow by air today.

Mr. Yu Yu-jen, President of the Control Yuan, is also expected to arrive here in a few days from Sian, where he is paying a brief visit.—(Central News).

Surprise Attack

Tientsin, Aug. 2. A section of the 8th Route Army operating at the borders of Hopen and Sulyuan is reported to have been extremely active during the past few days.

The vanguard of this force made a surprise attack on the Japanese outpost at Pingyuan, in west Hopen yesterday and inflicted heavy casualties. About 115 rifles, 30 machine-guns and over ten field guns were captured.

Chinese guerrilla units are also very active around Mengcheng, about 30 kilometres west of Pootung. Their movements are giving grave concern to the Japanese military who are at a loss to know in regard to their exact strength or whereabouts and the time they appear or vanish.—(International).

JAPANESE FORCES INADEQUATE IN KIUKIANG SECTOR

Comparatively Slow Advance Made In New Drive On Hankow

TROOPS FROM S'HAU, NANKING BEING SENT

Hankow, August 2. The Japanese were able to make only small progress during Monday and Tuesday morning proceeding up the Yangtze Valley in the direction of Wusueh as well as from Kinkiang in a southern direction, Chinese reports state. In this connection Chinese quarters deny the Japanese report of the capture of the town of Tolan in the fighting zone south of Kinkiang. No fighting for Tolan is going on at present.

The comparatively slow advance of the Japanese is attributed by the Chinese military quarters to the fact that the Japanese have inadequate forces at their disposal in the Kinkiang sector and must wait for further reinforcements.

Several Japanese transports are reported to be on their way up-stream in the Yangtze. Twenty ships with Japanese troops are coming from Shanghai and Nanking to be near Kinkiang. Thirty thousand Japanese are reported to have been transported from the former fighting zone on the Tien-tsin-Pukow Railway to the Kinkiang region within the last few days.

Chinese circles estimate the strength of the Japanese forces in the region of Kinkiang, north of the Yangtze, at two divisions and the Japanese first line forces, south of the Yangtze likewise at two divisions, not including the Japanese units stationed in the rearward area. The Chinese believe that the new Japanese drive on Hankow will be launched only after the arrival of reinforcements.—(Transocean).

Gold Demand In London DEVALUATION RUMOURS

London, August 2. A persistent strong demand for gold on the London money market was considered by the Daily Mail yesterday morning to be caused by rumours of a new devaluation of the pound sterling. These rumours are also taken seriously in British financial circles.

The paper stresses that it is not only possible, but probable, to put the pound into line with the dollar within the framework of the Anglo-American trade agreement as settlement of and as a condition of the question of British war debts to America, as the trade agreement would rest on a basis only if a fixed relation between the pound and dollar will be established.

In British financial circles the opinion prevails that the pound could be brought into an alignment with the dollar through a tripartite agreement.

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29 BODIES FOUND IN TRAIN CRASH

Kington, August 2. Twenty-nine bodies have hitherto been recovered from the train disaster yesterday in which 30 persons were estimated to have been killed.

It will be some days before the debris will be clear of the track.—(Reuters Bulletin).

Nickname For Lord Runciman

London, August 2. The attitude of the British press towards the departure of Lord Runciman for Prague is shown very plainly by an article in The Times yesterday morning in which it is said that probably very few people would envy Lord Runciman's tasks that face him when he sits down to his writing table in the Alcron Hotel in Prague.

Lord Runciman is probably happy that he has been sent to Prague not as arbitrator but as mediator and counsellor whose range of operations is somewhat wider. This would enable him to create a better atmosphere on both sides but even that task would be immensely difficult.

The Times thinks that the ray of promise, however, is to be found in the fact that the Sudeten Germans have nicknamed Lord Runciman "Lord Rungelmann" that is Lord "Wrinkle-Brow" which proves that Runciman's mission enjoys popularity.—(Transocean).

CHINESE TROOPS AT HANKOW



Chinese soldiers seen transporting accoutrements at Hankow. (Photo, C. M. P. S.)

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Each unit consists of 5,000, 000,000 organisms in one c.c. and it cost the Philippine Government laboratories to make at cost which amounts to 3 centavos to the unit.

All this information was obtained from Dr. Arthur Woo who returned to the Colony yesterday by the s.s. Tandu after a short vacation in Baguio. Dr. Woo, it will be interesting to note, originally planned to return here by the missing

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London Silver Market

(Our Own Correspondent)

London, Aug. 2. London silver prices today were up 3/16 as follows:—
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Spot.....19-3/8 19-9/16
Forward.....19-1/4 19-7/16

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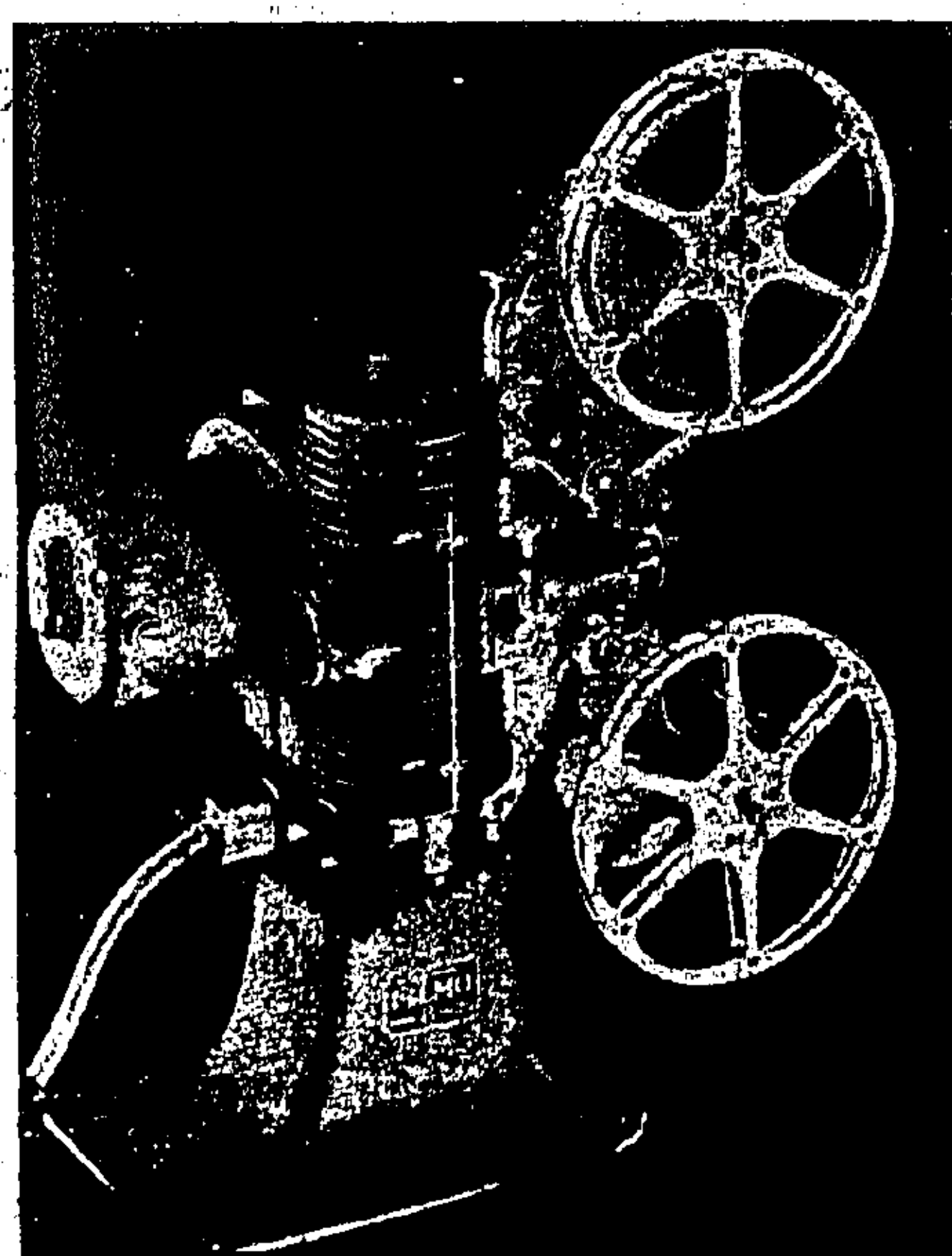
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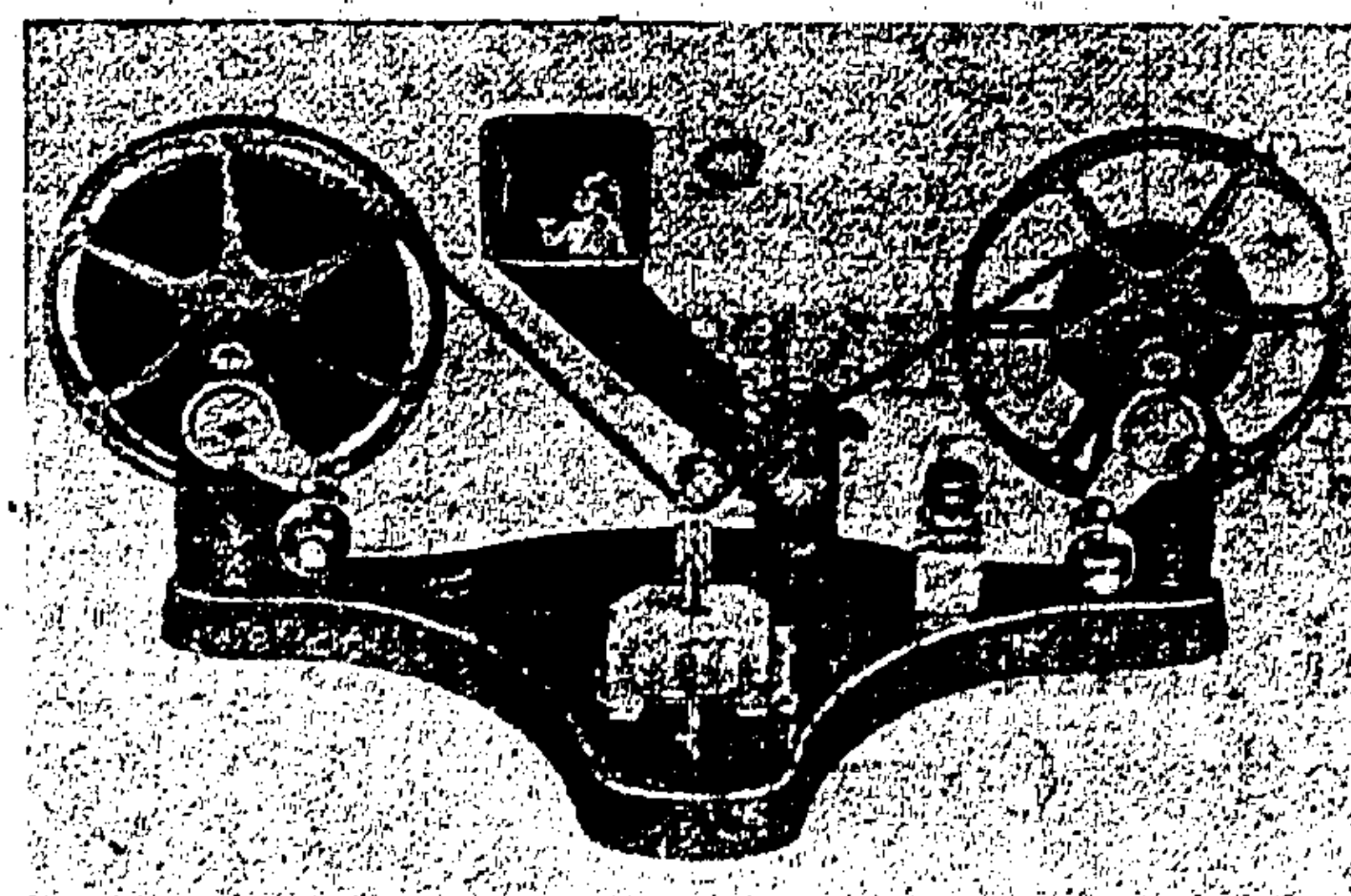
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GAMING HOUSE KEEPER FINED

Found guilty on the charge of keeping a common gaming house in King Street on July 25, a widow, Tse Ying, was fined \$75 by Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday.

Chan Chol, who was jointly charged with the same offence, was discharged.

Detective Sub-Inspector W. N. Darkin said he raided the flat on a warrant and found it to be a tea-tam gambling house. A quantity of lottery tickets, most of which came from Macao, were found and a sum of \$140.64 was seized.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan, who appeared for defendant, pleaded for leniency when Mr. Butters found defendant guilty of the offence. He said that the money seized did not really represent the takings of the lottery, but that a large part of it was the woman's own savings. The confiscation of the money was a heavy penalty for her.

OBSOLETE WEAPONS IN HOUSEBOAT

The master of a houseboat, Chan Lin, was cautioned by Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday when he appeared on a charge of possession of two muskets and a rifle, found on board his craft by the police at Shaikwan.

The firearms were practically useless, said Inspector Wright, who suggested that a caution would meet the case.

The Magistrate, on the application of the police, made an order for the confiscation of the weapons.

POSSESSION OF HEROIN

With one previous conviction against him for theft, an unemployed named Chan Wah was given six months' imprisonment, with the alternative of a fine of \$700, by Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday.

Revenue Officers raided defendant's quarters at No. 84, Third Street and found 700 heroin pills in his possession.

COMMITTED TO SESSIONS

Wong Man-yu, 38, was committed to stand trial at the Criminal Sessions by Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of breach of the Deportations Ordinance.

FAILED TO REPORT ALIENS LEAVING

For failing to furnish a complete alien passenger list leaving Hong Kong on July 22, the management of the Java-China-Japan Line was fined \$10 by Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday.

DR. DOVEY TELLS OF VISIT TO CANTON

How The City Is Combatting The Air Raid Menace

Dr. J. E. Dovey was the speaker at the weekly tiffin of the Rotary Club yesterday when he addressed the gathering on "A Recent Visit to Canton."

Dr. Dovey's talk was very instructive in that it gave an idea of the conditions obtaining in Canton at the present time when the city is being continually subjected to air raids by the Japanese.

At the conclusion of his talk Dr. Dovey was thanked by Rotarian G. White.

The Vice-President, Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, who presided in the absence of the President, Hon. Dr. Li Shu-fan, announced that he was going away for a three weeks' holiday and proposed that Mr. T. B. Wilson be elected as Acting Vice-President. This was seconded by Prof. W. I. Gerrard and carried with acclamation.

DR. DOVEY'S TALK
Addressing the meeting Dr. Dovey said:—

I was asked at the close of last week's meeting if I would fill a breach in the list of Speakers, and present to you today a few impressions I received during a week-end visit, in June last, to Canton; a visit which was connected with certain Public Health Problems and not directly connected with Air Raid Precautions.

I wish to make it quite clear that I am speaking in no official capacity and that this talk is not a lecture on air raid precaution measures. We have in this Colony a very able Air Raid Precautions Officer in Wing-Commander Steele Perkins, and I feel sure you will follow his instructions fully. I was accompanied on my visit by Mr. Herbert Beddow, and I may say that if I am ever to find myself in danger again I would wish for no better companion.

We decided to go up by train and not by boat. Our purpose in this apparent unnecessary risk, knowing full well how the railway is being constantly bombed was to acquire the Air Raid atmosphere, and I may say that this atmosphere came down upon us like Eliza's Coat very soon after we had crossed the border. The train came to a standstill at a certain point on the journey, and I remained in the train for fully one hour before I realised that the reason we were stopped was because the Air Raid Alarm had sounded in Canton. Herbert wanted to sleep but refused to do so because he had not had his dinner, which was promised soon after we had crossed the border. Later on he could not sleep because he had had it. I confess I felt a bit nervous in the train but my fear was nothing to the absolute terror which possessed my soul as I was rushed through the streets of Canton. Herbert was silent; I can only presume he was still digesting his last meal. (Laughter).

SILENCE THAT WAS FELT
The next night, while I was at dinner in the Victoria Hotel, Shamoen, the air raid alarm was sounded. On this occasion planes came over the city and I shall never forget the silence which fell over that unhappy town of Canton. It was a silence which could be felt.

Then came the bursting of the bombs, then more silence and finally the All Clear Signal.

I returned to my room with a deep impression eating into my heart. Here am I living in the twentieth century; living in a vast spirit world; a world which we ourselves have conjured up and brought into a very tangible existence; a spirit world of telegraphy, telephony, illumination and locomotion; a world etherealised and made romantic by science and all that we can do is to use the great discoveries which should be used to further the beauty and size and the various peaceful interests of our vast civilisation—I say all we can do is to use our talent to the destruction of our fellow men while we carp that "necessity knows no laws."

TOUR OF AREAS
My interest was such that together with Mr. Beddow we made a tour of the bombed area. We did this because we felt that some day, and perhaps that day not so very far distant, we too may be caught in the present madness. We began our tour of inspection by making enquiries of those in authority how the people had learnt to protect themselves. We learnt that the main protection was evacuation; that the population of the city had been reduced to a mere handful; we learnt that whereas in the earlier air-raids the people hurried to buildings for protection that they had come to

realise that a building is sometimes more of a danger than a haven of refuge. We visited the ruins of two buildings where there had been over a hundred casualties. So far as I could gather the people were attracted to them because the building appeared to be strongly built of concrete, whilst one of them possessed what was thought to be the additional security, which unhappily proved otherwise, of an underground cellar.

VISITED FORTY SCENES
Altogether, we visited more than forty scenes of bombing where the buildings showed various types of collapse, each raising different problems for the rescue worker. An inspection of these ruins by technical experts, would I feel sure, go a long way to solving the best type of building to withstand the effects of bombing.

I observed with interest a fairly modern building where the contractor had, it appeared, scamped his work by laying down a network of wires which were filled in with baked mud or dried clay, to serve as flooring between the different floor. The number of casualties in this building was not great, and I came to the conclusion that this might be due to the floor which had partly unhinged itself and flapped in the breeze like washing hanging out to dry.

PROTECTION OF BUILDINGS
The protection of buildings in Canton with the exception of those under government or municipal jurisdiction, seems to have been left to private enterprise and was observed chiefly in the main business thoroughfare where buildings are of the "pavement covered by verandah" type. Here the various stages in development of protective methods are to be seen.

The first method employed was to fill the spaces between the pillars supporting the verandahs with a sand bag wall; this practice has after a lapse of time proved unsatisfactory because weather conditions destroyed the bags and resulted in the collapse of the protective wall.

In the next stage sandbag walls were supported with a few timber uprights and horizontals, and while the timber prevented the collapse of sandbags it did not prevent the sand pouring out into the street when the bags perished.

In the third stage a hollow wall of battens was built between the pillars, strongly supported by timber uprights and horizontals, and then filled with sand. This method appeared to be most satisfactory but as the work had to be carried out by contractors there were objections on the grounds of expenses.

PRIVATE "BUG-OUTS"
Several individuals have provided a variation of the latter system, and less costly, as they have carried out the job themselves. They have taken empty boxes, filled them with sand and built what can be described as a loose or un-mortared wall, carefully aligned, something like a wall built by a child with a box of bricks. I was much impressed with this method of protection which could be readily carried out by any person having an open area near his house. He could build a hollow square about five feet high and large enough to accommodate his family. I must make it clear that this type of structure would afford no protection to a direct hit, but it would form an effective barrier against splinters from a bomb dropped in the vicinity since the tendency is for the fragments to fly upwards and outwards. This method was in fact proved satisfactory in an open square near the Wu Man Fu Building when bomb fragments splattered the building and caused a great number of casualties, whereas, a number of people who sheltered behind sandbags placed on the pavement were unhurt.

BAMBOO "BURSTERS"
It was observed that the roofs or many of the more valuable buildings were covered with frames of stout bamboos interlaced somewhat similar to a spring mattress; these frames were spaced about three feet apart. It appeared that this particular type of protection

TRADE MARK FORGED

Unlicensed Hawker Sent To Gaol

Appearing before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday charged with the possession of a die or block for the purpose of forging the trade mark of Primrose Soap, and the possession of toilet soap to which a false trade mark had been applied, Sin Choi-tin, an unlicensed hawker, was given four months' hard labour. An order for banishment was also made.

Mr. E. S. C. Brooks appeared on behalf of the complainant, Mr. K. T. Chung, of the China Soap Company Limited. He stated that the defendant was arrested with a bar of soap last Friday, and on being questioned, said that the soap had been purchased in Kennedy Town, while the trade mark had been put on by himself with a wooden block. The block was later discovered in a side lane where the defendant slept.

Defendant had two previous convictions.

was designed to take the initial shock of an high explosive bomb. I did not find a building where this protective measure, which I gather is fairly new, had been adopted and struck by a bomb. It did appear, however, that much faith had been placed in this method of protection, and while there may be objections to its general use I would like to witness experiments with variations with this simple though somewhat expensive type of protection.

SUFFERING AND MISERY

I have not the time to tell you all the things I saw and which impressed me deeply during my short stay in the nearby city of Canton, and, in any event, I feel certain this would not be the place to describe the suffering and misery which have befallen countless innocent homes but as I sat in the train on my return journey to Hong Kong I could not help but think of these ruined homes and what must be the ultimate outcome of such wanton destruction.

I returned home fully convinced that the hope of the world is the advancement of understanding, goodwill, and international peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men united in an ideal of service which is the ideal of Rotary. (Applause).

Two Crops Of Rice Yearly In Szechuen

First Experiments Successful

(By Air Mail From Our Chungking Correspondent).

TWO RICE crops a year, common in many provinces of China, may also be possible in Szechuen if recent experiments in Chengtu, Yungang and Kuansien prove as successful throughout this vast province.

At the present period of national emergency, when a large part of the country has been rendered unproductive because of the war, this new development should help to solve partly the problem of providing sufficient food for both soldiers and civilians.

For some time the Central and local authorities in west China have been pushing on with an increased production programme and in some places they have gone so far as to level down old grave yards for purposes of cultivation.

MORE CORN

Some places in Szechuen have not only increased the production of rice by 20 per cent but have also received an unexpected greater yield of corn, another important product of the province.

In addition to increasing the area under cultivation, steps are being taken to minimise the effects of famine caused from time to time by drought and other unforeseen natural calamities.

The China International Famine Relief Commission is co-operating with the people of Szechuen in this regard and is now planning a series of irrigation ditches in Tienchuan and other districts with a budget of some 700,000, partly to be contributed by local governments.

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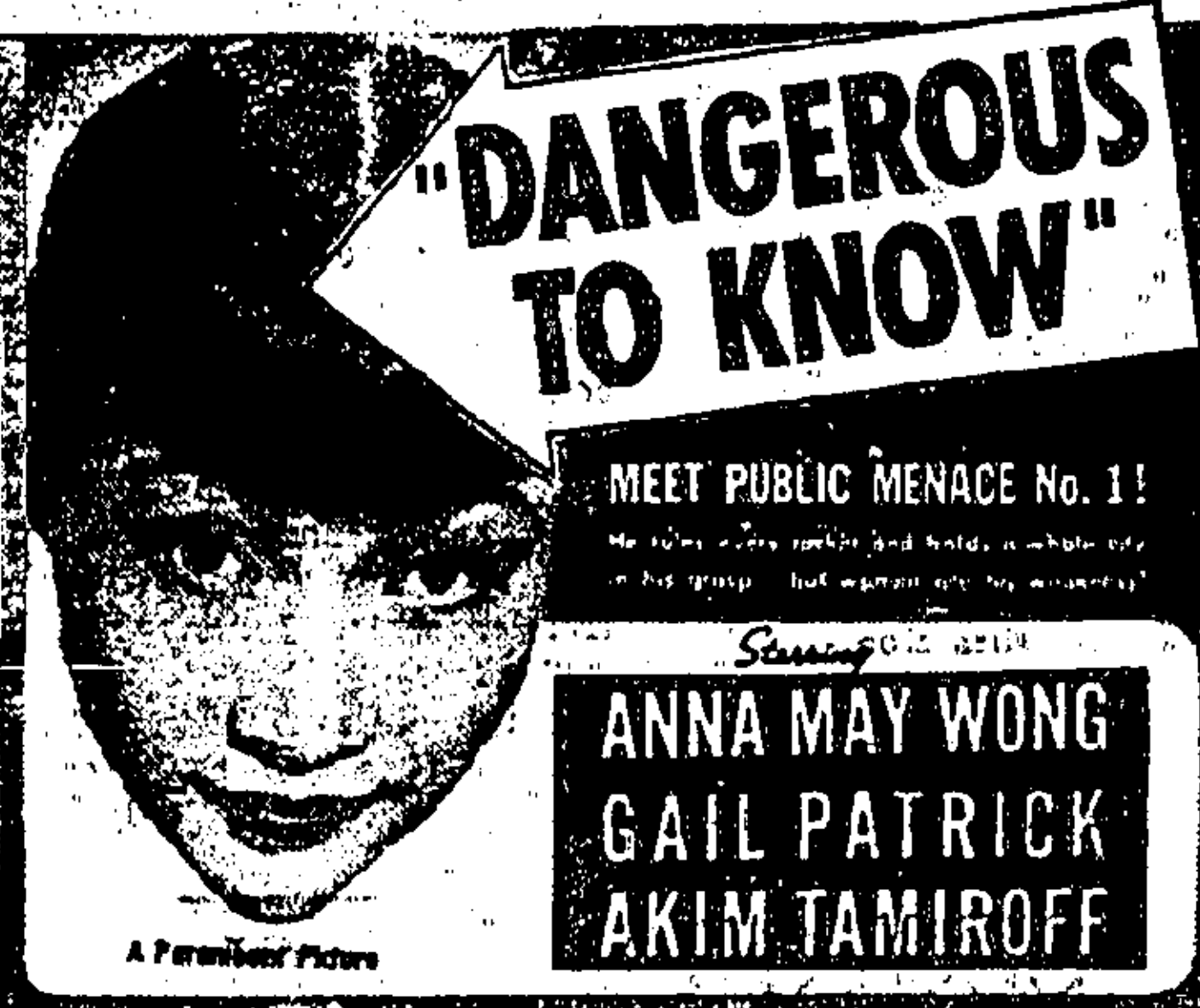
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TODAY
Anniversaries and Holidays—King's Birthday—born, 1872; Stanley Baldwin born, 1867; The Finding of the Body of St. Stephen, the Protomartyr.
Cinemas—(See Column 3 of this Page).
Dances—Cheero Club, Dance, 8.30 p.m.
Lectures—Air Raid Precautions, Kowloon Cricket Club, Cox's Road, 10 a.m.; St. Andrew's Church Hall, Nathan Road, 9 p.m.; Helena May Garden Road (A.R.P.), 5.45 p.m.
Malls—(See Page 40).
Meetings—Annual of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, at the Club House, North Point, 5.45 p.m.
Moon—First Quarter, 10 a.m. VII Moon, 8th Day.
Social—Weekly Whist Drive and Tombola in Garrison Sergeants' Mess, Queen's Road, 8 p.m.; Monthly Bridge and Mahjong Drive of the Prison Branch of the M.C.L. at Stanley, 3.15 p.m.

TOMORROW
Sports—(See Page 10).
Sunrise—5.55 a.m. Sunset—7.03 p.m.
Tides—High at 02.30 and 15.14. Low at 08.54 and 20.04.
Moon—VII Moon, 9th Day.
Sunrise—5.55 a.m. Sunset—7.04 p.m.
Tides—High at 01.45 and 13.59. Low at 07.24 and 19.22.

The district of Tung Chung, Shuen, long noted for its production of paper of all grades, has commenced to increase its paper output in view of the heavy demand for newsprint by Chinese newspapers, says a report. Paper manufacturers in the district have formed a co-operative society and undertaken measures for improving the quality of the paper manufactured and arranging for expert supervision.

DEANNA DURBIN WILL NOT BE CINDERELLA

Arleen Whelan To Team With Tyrone Power

Hong Kong

KING'S: "I'll Take Romance"
QUEEN'S: "Love, Honour and Behave"
ORIENTAL: "Dangerous To Know"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA: "Born To The West"

STAR: "Fifty Roads To Town"

MAJESTIC: "Dinner At The Ritz"

Coming

KING'S: "Escapade"

QUEEN'S: "The Rage Of Paris"

ORIENTAL: "Wise Girl"

ALHAMBRA: "Dangerously Yours"

STAR: "Expensive Husbands"

MAJESTIC: "The Champ"

GRACE MOORE AGAIN

"I'll Take Romance," in which Grace Moore makes her long-awaited return to the screen, this time opposite the handsome Mervyn Douglas, is showing today at the King's Theatre.

As in her previous singing roles in "One Night of Love," "The King Steps Out" and "When You're In Love," Miss Moore is party to a romantic comedy set-up, embellishing her role with renditions of several memorable operatic arias, the hill-billy ditty, "She'll Be Comin' Round the Mountain," and a love ballad bearing the film's title written especially for Miss Moore by Ben Oakland and Oscar Hammerstein II.

In the large supporting cast are Stuart Erwin, Helen Westley, Richard Carle, Margaret Hamilton and Frank Forest, the sensational radio tenor who appeared opposite Gladys Swarthout in "Champagne Waltz."

STAR DUST

Goldwyn hopes George Arliss will play the lead in "The Exiles," the story of Austrians after the Anschluss. Arliss would be the great scientist arriving in America with a false passport, unable to continue his work until America takes up his cause.

Warners contemplate putting Boris Karloff opposite Kay Francis in her last picture for them, "I Spy."

Max Reinhardt has opened his school of acting at the old KKK studios in "Hollywood." Constance Collier and Edward G. Robinson are among the instructors.

Hal Roach is proposing to make a skating picture to be called "Hot and Cold."

Arthur Lake gets the second man's part in "There Goes My Heart," starring Virginia Bruce and Fredric March.

William Gargan is reported to be trying to arrange to make another picture in England this summer. He played with Cicely Courtneidge in "Things Are Looking Up," three years ago.

Universal have bought a story called "Charlie McCarthy, Detective" for Edgar Bergen and his dummy.

SOLUTION NO. 70

DEVONPORT REALLY
CATHOLIC MADAME
EARN MANAGING
FOREST ISSUE
INCREASE IN
VIRILE SPECULAR
TIGHT BRITANNIA

DEANNA DURBIN WILL NOT BE CINDERELLA

Arleen Whelan To Team With Tyrone Power

Arleen Whelan is being built up as fast as a block of modern flats at Twentieth Century-Fox. Zanuck took confidence from preview of Kidnapped and went right ahead, writes a film correspondent.

Whelan part in Ellis Island is being made even bigger and better. She'll rush immediately to the lead in Kentucky, tale of the American Derby.

Then she'll get the reward of all good girls at Twentieth Century-Fox and team with Tyrone Power in Jesse James, the bandit epic. Fast going for a manicurist from nails to neon lights.

Deanna Durbin won't be Cinderella after all. Universal were snowed under by letters from exhibitors protesting against Deanna going fantastic.

MICHAEL BALCON TO MAKE OWN FILMS

Leaves Metro-Goldwyn

After making only one film—"A Yank At Oxford," which has been an outstanding success—Mr. Michael Balcon, the British film producer, has left Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer British studios. His contract has been terminated by mutual consent.

In the announcement by the company it is stated that "It is understood that Mr. Balcon will now assume independent production."

Michael Balcon had a long and successful career as "production chief" for the Gaumont-British Corporation. He produced "Rome Express," "I Was A Spy," "Thirty-nine Steps," "Tudor Rose," and "Rhodes of Africa." He left Gaumont-British at the end of 1936 and went to Hollywood to study under Louis B. Mayer, of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, for his post as producer for the newly-created British company.

A number of films were scheduled for production in this country, but only "A Yank At Oxford," now in its 12th week in London, has so far appeared.

Suppose it might injure her "down-to-earth normal-schoolgirl" appeal or something.

Or maybe exhibitors don't want to risk losing any of the Durbin dollars through acknowledged public distaste for fantasy. Not certain whether the public or the exhibitors acknowledge the distaste.

Instead, she'll do a follow-up to Three Smart Girls, with Barbara Read and Nan Grey again. Universal won't however, tempt providence by using Three Smart Girls in the new title.

Grace Moore's due back in Hollywood for another picture, despite all her rude remarks about Columbia last season.

Difficult as ever to find a story for the singer, Columbia are toying with one called Never to Forget. Hope the subject is more original than the title.

Columbia have been scouring scripts for months trying to unearth a mystery story with vocal aspects, but so far no such thing. You can't say they don't try.

THRILLING NEW STAR

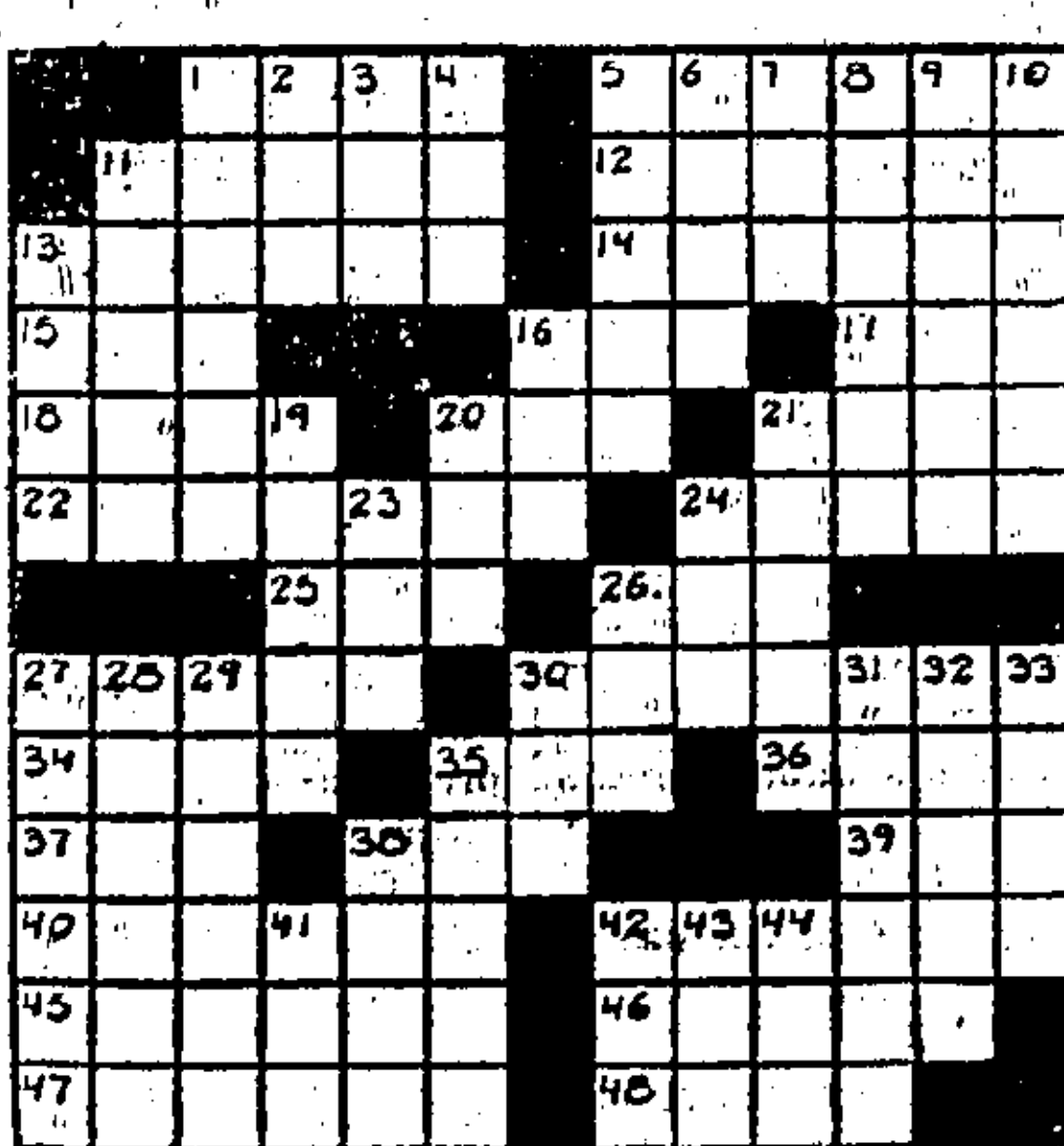
As befits an international star of her fame, Annabella is starred opposite three leading men in her latest film, "Dinner at the Ritz," New World picture released by Twentieth Century-Fox, opening today at the Majestic Theatre.

Paul Lukas, David Niven and Romney Brent are featured in important roles. Lukas and Niven play romantic parts and Brent a wise-cracking American reporter-detective. Each of the three has reached the top of film prominence; together they make the picture as tensely exciting as its star is excitingly lovely.

CROSSWORD NO. 71

ACROSS

1. Worthless.
5. Amuse.
11. Pertaining to the kid-neys.
12. Masculine name.
13. Pertaining to the ox or cow.
14. Adhere closely.
15. Hebrew prophet.
16. Firmament.
17. Immerse.
18. Vehicle on runners.
20. Aeriform fluid.
21. Tableland.
22. Rose above other objects.
24. Expand.
25. Intention.
26. Human being.
27. Araceous plant.
30. Pertaining to a salivary gland.
34. Exclamation of despair.
35. Tear.
36. Network.
37. Stout club.
38. Play on words.
39. Hastened.
40. Agreeable odours.
42. Sections of a wall.
45. Crescent-shaped part.
46. Friendship.
47. Hero of a cycle of romances of chivalry.
48. Narrow woven band.



DOWN

1. Write a critical notice.
2. Bird of the cuckoo.
3. Is able.
4. Beverage.
5. Artificial basins to receive vessels.
6. Badly.
7. Contend.
8. Attempted to escape.
9. Change.
10. Saw for perforating the skill.
11. Masculine name.
13. Finest.
16. Depressed.
19. Distributes cards.
20. Precious stone.
21. One below legal age.
23. Long narrow inlet.
24. Armed combat.
26. Chart.
27. Occultism.
28. Alarm mechanism.
29. Roman name for Leto.
30. Pointed piece of wire for fastening.
31. Cylindrical.
32. European country.
33. Lairs.
35. Artifice.
38. Descended from Sanskrit.
41. Mile.
42. Strike lightly.
43. Wine vessel.
44. Pinch.

SOLUTION TOMORROW

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Shorts Too Short?

Dorothy Odam, eighteen-year-old British champion high jumper, dropped from the team to compete in the European Games at Vienna in September because she is "not amenable to discipline," says that she had three complaints that she wore too-abbreviated shorts. "I am sure this has had something to do with the ban placed on me," Miss Odam said. "Coming back from Empire Games in Australia last year I had a good time. I occasionally had a drink, and drank a liqueur sometimes with my coffee, but my favourite drink is still orangeade."

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**TENSION CONTINUES AFTER
SOVIET-JAPANESE CLASH****MIKADO SEES MINISTER
OF WAR—RUSSIANS
PLAN PROTEST**

Moscow, August 2.
The Soviet account of the fighting at Chengkufeng is contained in a communique issued last night which states that the Japanese, supported by artillery, attacked the Soviet border patrol and penetrated four kilometres into Soviet territory.

Soviet reinforcements arrived shortly afterwards and drove the Japanese from Soviet territory.

Japanese casualties are estimated at 400. It is also stated that the Japanese lost five guns, 15 machine-guns and 157 rifles.

Thirteen Soviet soldiers were killed and 55 wounded. One Soviet tank and one Soviet gun were destroyed by the Japanese and one Soviet airman was captured.

Soviet headquarters state that no attempt was made to cross into Manchukuo territory, hence it was unable to pursue and surround the Japanese.

SOVIET PROTEST

Moscow, August 2.
According to the Tass Agency, the Soviet Charge D'Affaires in Tokyo has been instructed to protest energetically to Japan regarding the Japanese penetration into Soviet territory, and draw attention to the possible very grave consequences which may result from the actions of Japanese militarists who do not wish to respect the inviolability of Soviet territory on the frontier, which is established by Russo-Chinese treaties and is clearly marked on maps annexed to such treaties bearing the signatures of China's representatives.—(Reuter).

LOCALISING INCIDENT

Tokyo, Aug. 2.
Official quarters are following the developments in Changkufeng with close attention but with complete calm. While the military authorities declined to make a statement on the situation, the spokesman of the Japanese Foreign Office declared today that the Japanese have no reason to be afraid of a conflict with the Soviet Union.

It is still hoped that the incident will be "localised," although it is admitted that further complications are possible since the situation is aggravated by the air raids on Korea.

MILITARY COUNCIL

A military council was held at the War Ministry last night to discuss the situation created by the air attack. A semi-official statement issued after the conference

**Germany
Strengthening
Defences****WORKMEN ARE
CONSCRIPTED**

Berlin, August 2.
Twelve thousand workmen, mostly excavators, carpenters and masons, engaged in Field Marshal Goering's public building programme in Berlin, have been compulsorily transferred to western Germany during the past few days.

It is understood they will be occupied in strengthening the western defences of the Reich.

Between fifty and sixty thousand workmen are reported to have been conscripted in various parts of Germany for the same purpose.

Indications of coming military activity, presumably army exercises, is the fact that farmers near Berlin have been instructed to complete their harvest by August 15, so that the military authorities can use their horses after that date.—(Reuter).

**CRACK TRAIN
CRASHES INTO
ANOTHER**

Toledo, Ohio, August 2.
Thirty-eight persons were injured in a rail crash at Rocky Bridge, Ohio, yesterday when the Commodore Vanderbilt crack flyer of the New York Central Railroad, crashed into the rear of the streamlined Mercury train running between Detroit and Cleveland. The Commodore Vanderbilt skidded on the rails, which were rendered slippery by rain. Later the Vanderbilt continued its run to New York.—(Reuter).

declares that the council has decided to avoid for the time being everything that is likely to accentuate the tension.

The statement however stresses that the Japanese have determined to take a drastic action in the event of further provocation by the Russians.

Political quarters here believe that the next few days will decide whether localisation of the conflict is possible.—(Transocean).

TOKYO CONFERENCES

Tokyo, Aug. 2.
That the Japanese Government is taking a serious view of the recent incidents on the Manchurian frontier is indicated by the fact that the War Minister, General Itagaki, was received by the Emperor yesterday for a lengthy conference.

General Itagaki also conferred at length with the Premier, Prince Konoze, the Foreign Minister, General Ugaki, and various representatives of the General Staff.—(Transocean).

NO ANXIETY IN LONDON

London, August 2.
The Changkufeng affair is not causing particular anxiety in London, where it is generally regarded purely as a local incident.

Developments are prominently featured in successive editions of the newspapers, but such editorials as have hitherto touched upon the incident decline to be alarmed.

CANNOT WISH FOR WAR

The News-Chronicle consolingly remarked yesterday that nations only go to war about such incidents when they are decided to go to war anyway.

The Daily Telegraph says that Japan has the strongest reasons for not wishing to add to military commitments, while Russia cannot wish for a war that might not be confined to the borders of Manchukuo.—(Reuter).

NO ROME COMMENT

Rome, August 2.
Authoritative circles express the hope that a peaceful solution will be reached in the Changkufeng affair.

Reports hitherto available are stated to be too vague and conflicting to be the subject of comment.—(Reuter).

TROOP MOVEMENTS

Hankow, August 2.
A Peiping report just received here reveals that about 20,000 Japanese troops, mostly from Shansi and other places in North China, have passed through that city and Tientsin in the past four days en route to Manchuria.

Several Japanese transports have arrived at Dalen with troops. Observers believe that these movements are connected with the growing tension on the Soviet-Manchukuo border.—(Central News).

STRICT CENSORSHIP

Hankow, August 2.
The Japanese Government is exercising strict censorship over reports on fighting on the Soviet-Manchukuo border, according to a Tokyo message.—(Central News).

**YELLOW RIVER
FLOODS****Chinese Request
To League**

Geneva, August 2.
The Chinese Government's request to the League of Nations to undertake the preparation of measures of preservation necessary in the interests of regions affected by the Yellow River floods and supervise the execution of these measures appears on the agenda of the League Committee for Communications, and Transit, which opened its session here yesterday.—(Reuter).

**Black-Out
In Japan**

Tokyo, August 2.
As part of a plan of increased air defence, a complete black-out was ordered last night in the industrial district of Fukuoka, on the island of Kyushu.

The district is due south of Korea and about 900 kilometres from the scene of the recent clash between Soviet and Japanese troops.—(Transocean).

**FIGHTING AT
TANGSHAN**

Hankow, August 2.
Fighting has been going on since Sunday between Chinese guerrillas and Japanese troops in the outskirts of Tangshan, a coal mining town on the Peiping-Liaoning Railway, 134 kilometres from Tientsin, according to a Tientsin message.

Sandbag barricades have been erected at the entrances of various bogus government offices in the city as a precaution.—(Central News).

**SYRIAN PREMIER
TO PAY VISIT
TO TURKEY**

Jerusalem, August 2.
The Turkish Government has invited the Syrian Premier, Mardam Bey, to visit Ankara on his return from Paris, it was reported in official Damascus circles yesterday. Mardam Bey, it is declared, has accepted the invitation.

A further report states that members of the Syrian opposition who were imprisoned have been released.—(Transocean).

**JAPANESE TRAPPED IN
TAIHU-SUSUNG SECTOR****Military Situation Reviewed
By Chinese Spokesman**

Hankow, August 2.
Chinese troops on the north bank of the Yangtze River are trapping the Japanese in the hills in the Taihu-Susung sector and delivering heavy blows upon them, reported a Chinese military spokesman at a press conference yesterday.

Fighting of great violence, according to the spokesman, is raging in the hills west of Taihu. A fierce Chinese counter-attack on Sunday on 3,000 Japanese infantrymen at Liangho and Feng Huang Shan (Phoenix Hill), about 25 kilometres southwest of Taihu, effectively crippled the Japanese force.

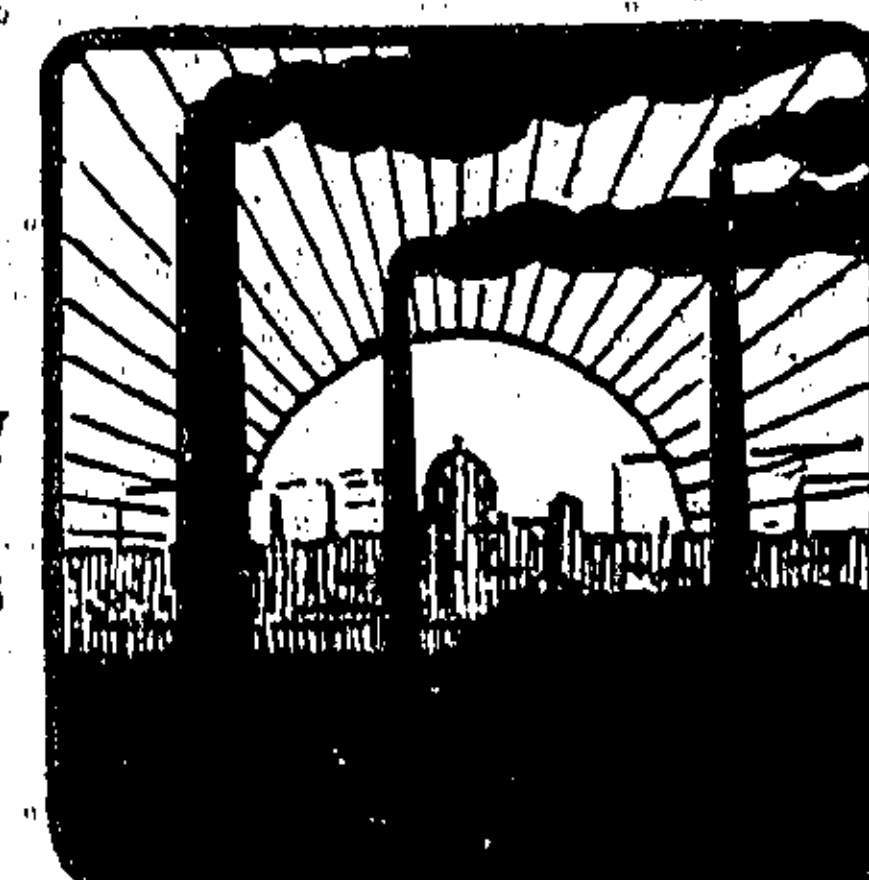
On the Kiukiang front the Chinese, the spokesman said, are persistently holding their defence line at Shaho, 17 kilometres south of Kiukiang. Bitter fighting has been going on at Shamaoshan, a strategic hill in the vicinity. The hill, which has changed hands several times in the last few days, and the Shaho railway station, are both still in Chinese hands.

A large number of peasant corps, the spokesman revealed, have sprung up in east Honan. Armed with old guns, farming implements and weapons seized from the Japanese, they are harassing the enemy with great effect. Japanese garrison posts and transport corps have been constantly attacked.

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Resist"**

London, August 2.

"China has accepted the challenge of Japan and we mean to resist to the end," declared Miss Koo Chu-chen, daughter of Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese Ambassador to France, at the Liberal Summer School at Oxford yesterday.

Resounding cheers greeted the speaker when she uttered those words.

"We realise that the challenge we are facing today is a challenge that the world is also facing," continued Miss Koo, "and while we are fighting for our freedom we are at the same time fighting for the establishment of international law and order and sanctity of treaties, which Japan violated."

"We realise that it is on the triumph of law, order and justice that civilisation, the world and human happiness depends."—(Reuter).

**BOMB OUTRAGE
IN PALESTINE
CONTINUE****British Military
Lorry Attacked**

Jerusalem, August 2.

In spite of the drastic measures imposed by the authorities, a new bomb outrage occurred yesterday on the road from Ramallah to Nablus, when a military lorry was fired on by Arab irregulars.

Three British soldiers were wounded, while several Arabs were killed when fire was returned.

In the vicinity of the Tuikarem aerodrome, the bodies of two Arabs, killed by unknown assailants, were found yesterday.

From Haifa, four new bomb outrages are reported. No serious consequences, however, resulted, one Arab being slightly injured by bomb splinters.—(Transocean).

JULY'S TOLL

Jerusalem, Aug. 2.

A total of 148 Arabs and 60 Jews were killed in Palestine during July, while 256 Arabs and 201 Jews were injured during the same period.

The British casualties were two British soldiers killed and six wounded, and three British constables wounded.—(Reuter).

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URBAN COUNCIL HEARS REASONS FOR CHOICE OF REFUGEE CAMP SITES

Sale Of Imported Milk Also Discussed

Questions were asked at the Urban Council meeting yesterday by Dr. R.A. de Castro Basto with reference to the Government's proposal to build refugee camps in Kowloon Tsai, North Point and the Marina site.

Those present at the meeting were:—Mr. R. R. Todd (chairman), Hon. Dr. F. S. Selwyn-Clarke, (Vice-Chairman), Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson, Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Mr. F. C. Hall, Dr. R. A. de Castro, Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, Dr. S. N. Chau, Mr. W. N. Thomas, Mr. B. Wong Tape, Mr. Tang Shiu-kin and Mr. J. Watson (Secretary).

Dr. Basto asked:—What were the reasons governing the choice of these sites?

The Chairman replied: The sites chosen were considered the most suitable after careful examination of all alternatives, having regard particularly to immediate availability.

Dr. Basto: Will Government kindly consider the following objections to the proposed sites, viz: (a) That they are within or in close proximity to residential areas; (b) That the refugees will in all probability over-run the neighbouring residential areas, lounging about and committing other forms of nuisances; (c) That the presence of such a large number of refugees is a menace to the health of the population in general, and to that of the nearby residents in particular.

The Chairman: The objections enumerated were carefully considered. It must be admitted that the sites are within or in close proximity to residential areas, but refugee traffic will be regulated as far as is possible, and the necessary safeguards for the health of the general population and of nearby residents will be taken.

NEW TERRITORIES

Dr. Basto: Has Government considered the advisability of building these camps in the New Territories?

The Chairman: Yes.

Dr. Basto: What are the main objections to building them in that part of the Colony?

The Chairman: The main objections to locating the camps in the New Territories are (a) inconvenience of administration; (b) malaria; (c) the occupants of the camps will be to a large extent persons whose work or potential work is in the urban area.

Dr. Basto: Will Government kindly re-consider the whole question and if possible choose some other sites for the purpose?

The Chairman: Representations made or to be made by Residents' Associations and by others on this subject will be considered. In view of the urgency of the problem such representations, including suggestions for other sites, should be made as early as possible.

IMPORTED MILK

Mr. B. Wong Tape asked:—Has the attention of the Council been drawn to the report which appeared in the Hong Kong Telegraph of July 16 with reference to the sale in the Colony of milk imported from Canton and Macao?

The Chairman: Yes.

Mr. Wong Tape: Has the truth of this report been verified?

REPORT VERIFIED

The Chairman: The truth of the report has been verified to a certain extent. Steps were immediately taken to watch incoming trains and river steamers.

On the evening of July 16 two men carrying four cans of milk were followed from the Kowloon Railway Station to a dairy in Wing Kut Street. The licensee of this dairy has been severely warned verbally and in writing that no

milk which is not derived from a registered dairy or milk shop situated in Hong Kong or Kowloon may be received into his premises.

On July 19 a can of milk was traced from a Macao steamer to a dairy at Causeway Bay. The licensee of this dairy admitted that he had been receiving milk from Macao and Canton and he also has been severely warned verbally and in writing.

DAIRIES WARNED

The Hong Kong Telegraph's informant was interviewed by me and gave me the names of three other dairies which are supposed to have been importing milk from Canton or Macao. The licensees of these dairies denied the allegation but, nevertheless, they have been warned.

It is possible that some of the milk which has been imported has not passed through any registered dairy or milk shop but has been sold direct to eating houses and restaurants.

Mr. Wong Tape: What action is being taken by this Council to ensure that such milk is not being brought into the Colony?

The Chairman replied that the matter was under consideration.

CHOLERA PATIENTS

With reference to the segregation of cholera patients, Mr. Wong Tape asked:—

Will the Chairman kindly state whether it is a fact that suspected cases of cholera are being sent to, and detained at, the Infectious Diseases Hospital?

The Chairman: Yes.

Mr. Wong Tape: Is it possible to create an Observation Ward for such cases, so as to obviate the hardship of confining these patients with actual cholera cases and exposing them to infection?

The Chairman: Adequate measures are already being taken.

All applications for licences were refused.

THE WEATHER

Although, practically every day last week was a wet one, Hong Kong's rainfall for the year is still below the average by 17 inches, the comparative totals being 36.70 and 53.99.

The maximum temperature on Monday was 89 and yesterday it was 86.

The forecast indicates a prevalence of the existing weather conditions.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Director of Ambulance acknowledges with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations:—

Shatin, villages	\$133.30
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La Salle College (Per Mr. Chan Man Kai)	\$ 30.00
Mr. & Mrs. H. E. Stone	\$ 25.00
Mrs. A. Whitaker (Per S.G.M. Post)	\$ 3.00
One Fortieth	\$ 1.00
Anonymous	\$ 1.00

AMBASSADOR DUE TODAY

Will Be Guest Of Governor

His Excellency Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, British Ambassador to China, will arrive at 2 p.m. today from Canton, in H.M.S. Cleala.

The Ambassador is on an unofficial visit to the Colony, having journeyed by train and car from Hankow via important towns in southwest China.

While here, he will be guest of H. E. the Governor at Mountain Lodge, and will leave for Shanghai by the Empress of Asia on Friday.

A salute of 21 guns will be fired from H.M.S. Tamar to welcome His Excellency.

VISIT WUCHOW

Wuchow, August 2. Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, British Ambassador to China, arrived here from Kweilin by car at 7 p.m. yesterday. He was welcomed by government officials and representatives of various public organizations. (Central News).

CHRISTIAN SERVICES FOR EMIGRES

Need Emphasised At Meeting

At a meeting held in the Bible House on Monday of those who have been attending the English and Mandarin-speaking services at the Bishop's Chapel, it was unanimously decided that there was a distinct need for Christian services for emigres from North China and the inland who do not understand the Cantonese language.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop R.O. Hall presided and among those present were Miss Constance Lam, Mrs. Frank P.C. Ling, Mr. Walter Hamming Chen, Mr. S.C. Cheng, Mr. Anselm Chuh, Mr. Homer C. Ling, Mr. E.E. Low, Mr. Liu Yu-wan and Dr. Tsai Yung-ch'un.

Following the Bishop's greetings and his thanks to those who had helped in the services in the past, it was decided that the services at present held in the Bishop's Chapel should be continued. The venue will remain unchanged for the present but it was intimated that there might be a possibility, at a later date, of holding the services at Christ Church, Kowloon Tong. The hour of the services, namely 10.30 a.m., likewise will remain unchanged.

NEW MEMBERS INVITED

In view of the fact that there are many Christians from North China who would prefer to attend English and Mandarin-speaking services and also in view of the fact that there are many Cantonese who would like to attend such services, those present agreed that members and their friends should be invited to send in lists of names of those who might be interested. These should be sent to Messrs. W.H. Chen, 1st Floor, Wing On Bank, 26 Des Voeux Road Central; Homer C. Ling, Top Floor, 87 Bonham Road; or Dr. Tsai Yung-ch'un, third floor, 830 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

The meeting strongly endorsed the remarks of Bishop Hall that an invitation should be extended to the Rt. Rev. Bishop L.H. Rootes, formerly of Hankow, who is now in retirement in the United States, to return to China and come to Hong Kong to assist in carrying on work among Mandarin- and English-speaking Chinese in the Colony.

Bishop Hall will attend Sunday's service to welcome members and their friends. Mr. E. M. Low, formerly of Hankow, will be the speaker, and those in charge hope to see more newcomers.

HAD PICTURE OF FOUNDER

Son Summoned On Two Courts

Hung Sai-lan, alias Hung Chuen-chow, residing at No. 179, Hollywood Road, appeared before Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday on two summonses for the possession, for the purpose of trade, of a show case containing a photograph of the founder of the Hung Kwal Cheong firm and the possession of pamphlets bearing the founder's name.

Mrs. Chan Cheuk-ming, sole owner of the Hung Kwal Cheong firm, was the complainant and was represented by Mr. O. E. C. Marton. Mr. F. X. D'Almada, Jr., pleaded not guilty for the defence.

It was stated that defendant's father, the late Mr. Hung Kwal-cheong, was the founder of the Hung Kwal Cheong medicine shop. Upon the death of the founder, the son registered the trade mark at the registration office, and such trade mark included the photograph of the founder.

In 1933, the firm was sold to Mrs. Chan.

It had come to the knowledge of Mrs. Chan that defendant was running a shop using similar pamphlets and the photograph of the founder. The photograph bore the characters of the founder's name, which was also included in the registration.

In the witness box, Mrs. Chan said that she had instructed her solicitors to write to the defendant to obliterate the name of the founder from the signboard. Defendant only partially complied with the request and a summons was taken against him.

Cross-examined by Mr. D'Almada, Mrs. Chan said that she did not have any knowledge that defendant did sell or expose for sale, any goods bearing the trade mark. He only exhibited the photograph of his father, which he said, was included in the trademark.

The hearing was adjourned to Monday, August 15.

ALLOWED CAR TO BE USED FOR HIRE

Owner Of Vehicle Fined At Central

A private car owner, Sobhat Khan, appeared on remand before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on the charge of allowing his car to be used for hire in Chater Road on July 29.

Mr. G. S. Ford appeared for the defendant and pleaded not guilty. Inspector S. C. Saunders prosecuted.

Traffic Constable Mak Kai-wah, in evidence, stated that he saw defendant stop his car in front of Hotel Cecil and a woman, sitting in the rear seat, argued about the fare. When he approached the car he saw the woman in the act of pulling out a dollar note to hand over to the defendant, who refused the money and requested her to leave the vehicle.

Khan said that the driver of the car had picked up a friend in Hennessy Road and was only giving her a lift to the hotel. No fare was asked and none was given at the termination of the trip.

OTHER CASES

A. G. Greig appeared before Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday on a summons for driving a car without a valid licence in Garden Road on July 16 and was fined \$10.

Dr. T. T. Mok was fined \$5 for leaving his car unattended in Pottinger Street on July 12. He

A.R.P. LECTURES

A fresh course of lectures on air raid precautions will be given at the Helena May Institute in the near future.

Commencing August 9, there will be gas lectures every Tuesday at 11 a.m. First aid lectures will be given every Wednesday at 5.45 p.m., commencing August 10.

Wing-Commander A. S. Steele-Perkins, Air Raid Precautions Officer, will give a short series of lectures on Mondays at 10 a.m. in the Peak Club, commencing August 22.

RUSSIAN WOMAN FINED

Mrs. Ggapiro Elena Fedorovna, a Russian subject, was fined \$10 by Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday for failing to inform the police of the change of her address from Hankow Road to Nathan Road in December last year.

Sub-Inspector Edwards of the Registrations Office prosecuted.

CHINA CLIPPER

The China Clipper is expected to arrive on Saturday morning and is scheduled to leave Hong Kong on her homeward journey on Sunday morning.

It was stated that he was attending an urgent case. Mr. Butters, however, remarked that he could not make any exceptions.

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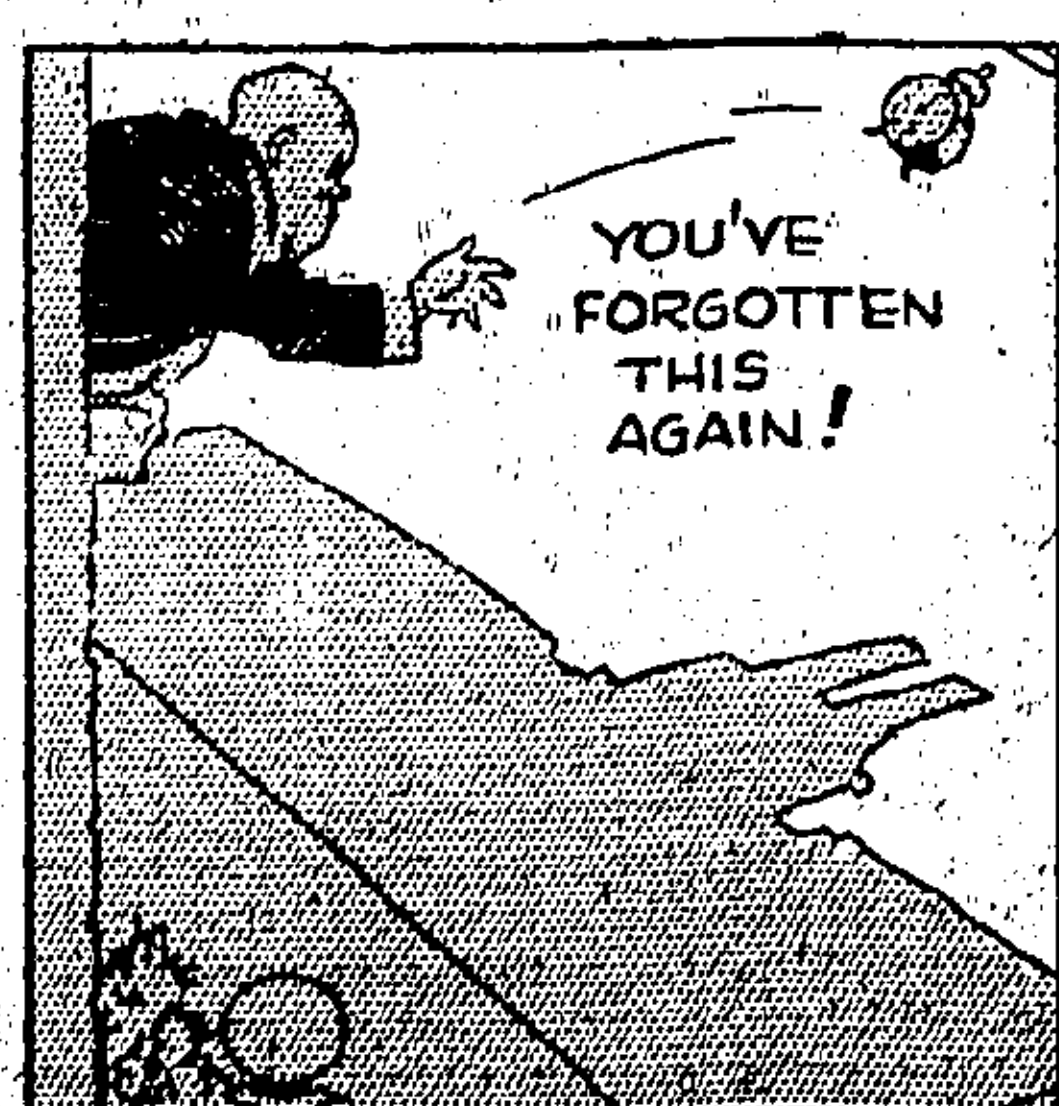
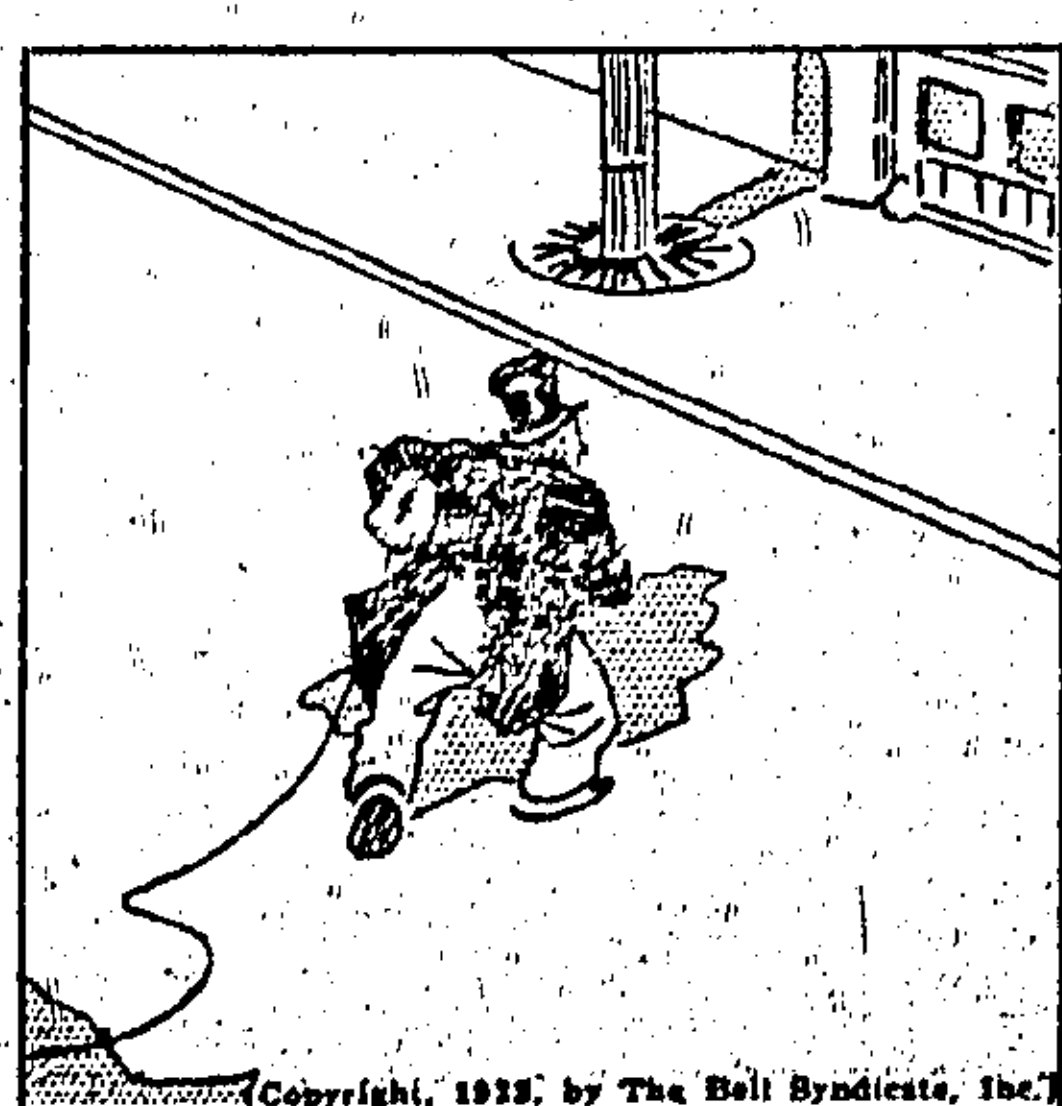
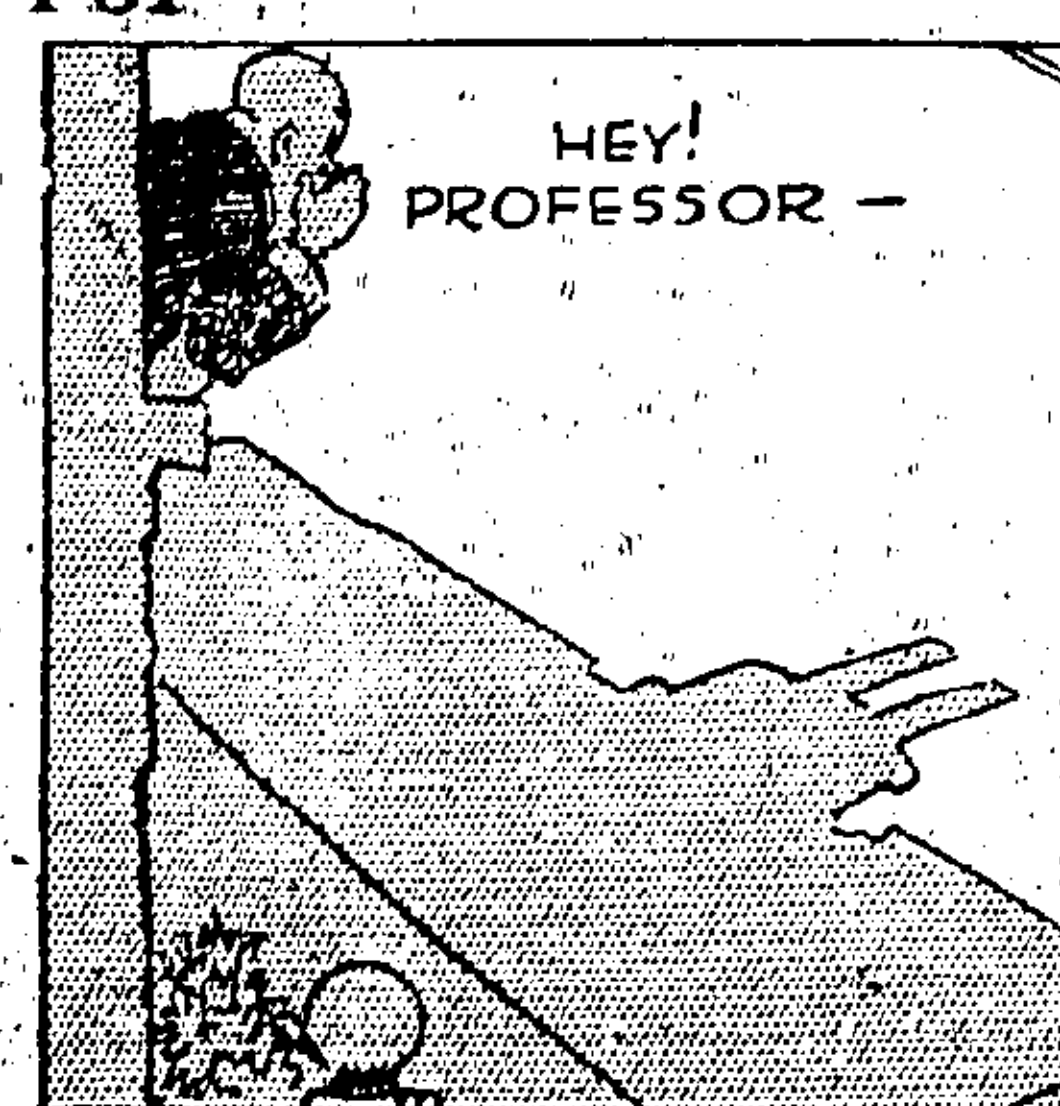
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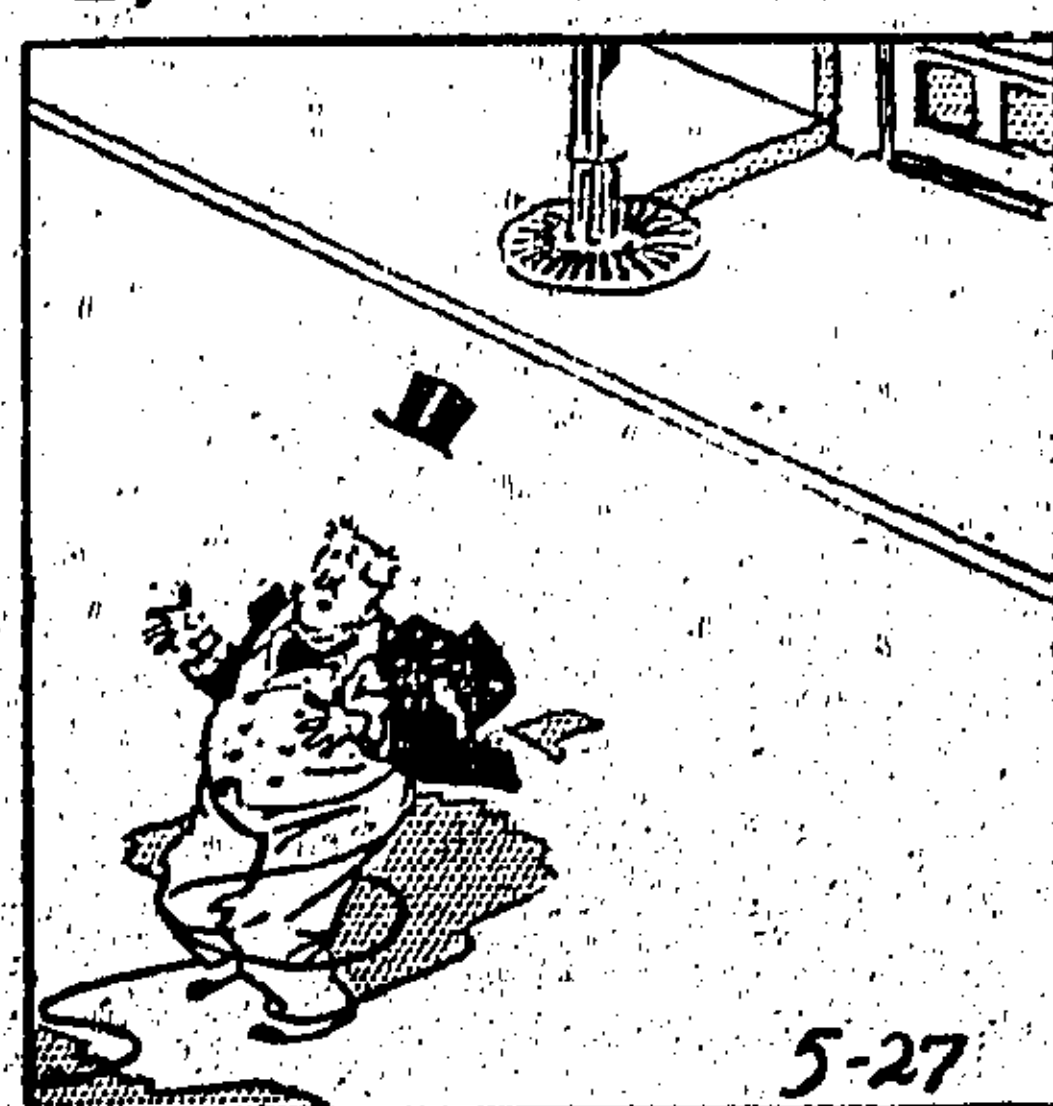
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JAPANESE RETREAT FROM CHINCHENG

Loyang, August 2.

Reduced to exhaustion by the lack of food and continuous fighting, large numbers of Japanese retreated from Chincheng in south Shansi on the border of Honan just before the town was captured by Chinese troops yesterday.

Chinese forces, after the capture of Hsinyang, in north Honan followed up the advance by attacking and subsequently occupying Chincheng. Over 500 Japanese were killed when they made a last effort to defend the town.

During the siege, Japanese planes threw down foodstuffs and medicine to their troops, and some of the parcels were dropped on the Chinese lines. The defeated Japanese have escaped to Po Ai on the terminus of the Taoching Railway in Honan. (International).

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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The New School Year of the Middle School will begin at Stanley on September 5th.

There will be an examination for new students on September 3rd, at 9 a.m.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 8th day of August, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4032	Ma Tau Chung Road, Ma Tau Chung	As per sale plan	About 45,000	516	23,200

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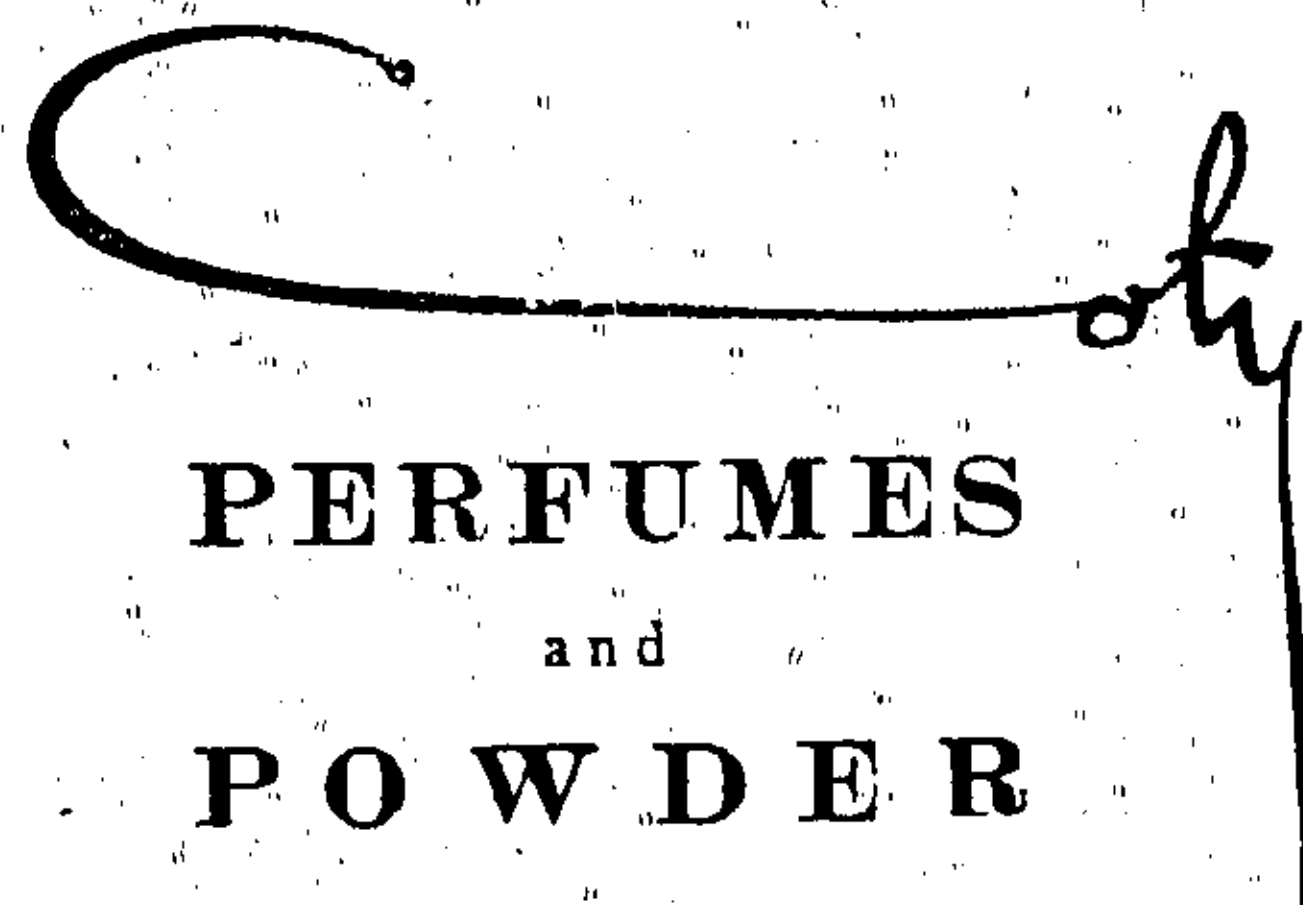
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2	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4033	Ma Tau Chung Road, Ma Tau Chung	As per sale plan	About 46,000	518	23,200

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
3	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4034	Ma Tau Chung Road, Ma Tau Chung	As per sale plan	About 46,000	518	23,200

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 8th AUGUST, 1938, to SATURDAY, 20th AUGUST, 1938 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

B. C. FIELD,
Acting Secretary.
Hong Kong, 30th July, 1938.

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PROCLAMATION

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THE TAX BUREAU
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THE KWANGTUNG
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

We have received instructions from the Kwangtung Finance Department to the following effect:—

"In accordance with records on file, a transit tax should be levied on all goods passing the locality. It is our understanding that goods are sometimes shipped to Hunan and Hankow direct from Kowloon by train. On passing through this province, a transit tax should be levied on such goods in accordance with regulations in order that a large amount of revenue may not dwindle. However, there may be considerable inconvenience felt by the merchants who are required to pay the transit tax in Canton, whereas these goods are shipped by trains at Kowloon. For the sake of convenience to the merchants, we have decided to establish an office at Shumchun for the special purpose of collecting this tax, so that merchants can pay it at the spot. The rate of transit tax on all goods will be 60% of the Customs duty paid on such goods."

Pursuant to the above, it has been decided that effective as from the 15th JULY, 27th Year of the Chinese Republic, our office at Shumchun will begin to function.

In addition to notifying all concerned, this proclamation is issued with a view to its being noted by all Chinese and foreign merchants as well. Should they have goods forwarded to Hunan and Hankow by train from Kowloon hereafter, after paying the Customs duty, they are requested to send their men with funds together with the Customs papers to pay the transit tax to our office at Shumchun.

In order to ensure that there will be no delay, no objection to pay this tax shall be tolerated.

CHOW SING NAM,

Director of the Tax Bureau
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July 13, 27th Year of the
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NOTICE

WATER SUPPLY.

Owing to the low rainfall experienced so far, and the high consumption, it is quite possible that all storage reservoirs will not fill this summer.

Consumers are earnestly requested to exercise every care in the use of water and to have defective water fittings repaired without delay.

R. M. HENDERSON,
Water Authority.

Public Works Department,
Hong Kong, 27th June, 1938.

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The Family and Relatives of the late Mr. W. F. Fincher wish to thank all friends for their kind expressions of sympathy, floral tributes and attendance at the funeral.

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GRAVEDIGGING
IN CHINA

THE United States is at last awakening to the unpleasant fact that her aircraft manufacturers have supplied Japan with most of the warplanes used in bombing Chinese cities and killing Chinese civilians.

Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, recently expressed his disapproval of such exports, and leading members of the Senate and House of Representatives are also strong in their censure. The American public is being steadily aroused to a moral realisation of the guilty partnership with the murderers, and a movement to put a stop to this abominable trade in death is gathering momentum.

At the present moment, the movement is largely confined to direct appeal to the aircraft builders, but it is unlikely that they will readily forego such a large and lucrative business. The ultimate result, therefore, of this scandal, which has become more than a strictly domestic one, will possibly be the repeal of the Neutrality Act and the imposition of an official embargo on plane exports.

POWERFUL public groups are applying pressure on the Government, and it may not be long before such official action is taken. But this prohibition will be incomplete, and will not effectively check the Japanese assassins if it only concerns direct exports to Japan. It is more than probable that there will be every attempt to circumvent legislation by seller or buyer in the form of planes shipped to third party intermediaries.

Another method by which Japan can also put into the air planes of American manufacture will be by assembling the machines from parts shipped from America. And even should parts shipments be curtailed by Government pressure, Japan presumably could go into production of the parts right in the Islands from semi-finished American material.

While assembling or finishing of parts would lengthen the period of procurement, the net result would not differ very greatly from the present situation.

ANY remedial steps which Washington may adopt must envisage the possibility of these great loopholes. It would indeed be a fine fire burnt down without cooking a meal if Americans should find, after their sincere anxiety and effort to cut adrift from any association with horror, that they would still be no further away from being gravediggers in China.

Hospital
BombedPATIENTS KILLED
AND WOUNDED

An interesting guest at the Rotary Club dinner yesterday was Dr. S. E. Ayers of the Chengchow Baptist Hospital, who is on his way to Shanghai to join his family for a short vacation.

Dr. Ayers, who was brought up in China, had served a year in Shantung before joining the Chengchow Hospital, and in an interview with the Daily Press yesterday said that conditions in Chengchow "since the floods broke" had been regarded as "quite safe."

Dr. Ayers said that he was at the Chengchow Hospital when the war broke out and as early as July 1937 they were receiving wounded men from the front, the first lot having come from the Lukochiao sector. Till the end of February they had a steady 300 war wounded in the hospital.

FLOOD REFUGEES

At the present time the Hospital authorities were devoting their attention to flood refugees and the care of cholera patients.

The Japanese had got within 45 li of Chengchow when the floods started but since then they have been kept away. The area between Chengchow and Kaileng, said Mr. Ayers, was particularly badly affected, some 20 miles being under water.

Chengchow is quite safe, according to Dr. Ayers, who added that the Mayor had informed him that he had 50,000 men in readiness to build a dyke.

FLOODS STOP BOMBINGS

Until the advent of the floods Chengchow was bombed almost daily by the Japanese and although the Hospital was flying the American flag it was hit twice, the first time in February when the window panes were broken and four patients slightly wounded, and the second time in April when two buildings were demolished, eight people killed and a nurse wounded.

In this connection Dr. Ayers stressed the usefulness of the "silt trenches" during an air raid. The gatekeeper, he said, was in one of these with his family and though they were very near the spot when the eight people were killed they themselves escaped injury.

GUERRILLAS ACTIVE

Chinese guerrillas, said Dr. Ayers, were very active. These were made up mostly of farmers. Although the Japanese have occupied Kaileng, they never dare to venture outside its walls in small groups, for if they did none of them would be able to make the return journey, such good marksmen are these guerrillas!

Dr. Ayers left Chengchow last Thursday by train for Hankow and made the trip from there to Kowloon by plane. He is leaving by the s.s. Pres. Duane for Shanghai today.

Asked about Hankow Dr. Ayers would not say anything beyond the fact that it was the "general opinion" that Hankow was safe for at least two or three months.

TO IMPROVE LOCAL
MOTION PICTURES

The Central Motion Picture Censorship Bureau is exerting efforts to eliminate Chinese motion pictures produced in Hong Kong and Macao, which are of poor technique and detrimental to the Chinese morale, and encourage the production of films compatible with the present spirit of resistance, according to local Chinese papers, states Central news.

It is stated that a delegate will shortly be dispatched by the Bureau to Hong Kong to confer with local film producers.

EUROPEAN FINED

Mr. U. Azzolini, of 1 Norfolk Road, appeared before Mr. Barnett at the Kowloon Court yesterday on a summons for having allowed his dog to wander in the street without muzzle or lead.

It appears that on the evening of July 11 the dog, at Waterloo Road near the Boundary Street intersection, had bitten a boy, Chan Chan-kai. The boy had there and then demanded \$3.50 compensation. Mr. Azzolini offered \$2 and would not give more. The boy was steadfast in his desire for \$3.50. Defendant and complainant decided that the police should judge. Yesterday Mr. Azzolini was fined \$15.

MORE FREEDOM URGED FOR BOYS

Marie Lloyd Quoted At Dulwich

Miss Marie Lloyd, the music-hall star, who died in 1922, was quoted by Dr. J. T. Sheppard at Dulwich College prize-giving ceremony recently.

Dr. Sheppard was a scholar at Dulwich in 1897, and later went to King's College, Cambridge, where he is now Provost.

After urging that boys should be allowed to follow their own personal pursuits and habits as part of their education, Dr. Sheppard continued:

"The great difficulty today is to devise a scheme of education which would exclude ex-

aminations. I think, however, that it would be possible to find some method which would not be so laborious as the present scheme.

"The schools should stand up to the universities about this and refuse to be browbeaten. Examinations ought not to figure so largely in the educational scheme.

"A great and gracious lady of a past era called Marie Lloyd laid down the first principle of education in the phrase: 'A little of what you fancy does you good'.

The Headmaster of Dulwich, Mr. W. R. Booth, said it was of immense importance to preserve the desire for further knowledge and the habit of reasoning.

"The trouble seems to be," he added, "that parents, and not infrequently schoolmasters, attach a disproportionate value to examination results. So long as a boy works well and really tries, it is surely not of any importance whether he matriculates at 14 or 19."

ASSAULT CASE
HEARINGMAGISTRATE'S
COMMENT

"No wonder they are so bad tempered!" commented the Magistrate, Mr. Barnett, at the Kowloon Court yesterday when Chan Si-kwong, manager of the Chinese Ministry of Communication's store house at Kai Tak, stated from the witness-box that the four watchmen employed to watch over the store of railway parts had to be on duty 12 hours a day each, each being on duty for two shifts of six hours daily.

Two of the watchmen were in the dock. They were charged with wounding an old man of 61 years, a Hakka named Mok Yat. The two watchmen spoke neither Cantonese, nor Hakka.

It is alleged that they had accused Mok Yat of the theft of two petrol tank covers. This the old man had denied and had persisted in denying despite the severe beating the watchmen, Lau Lau and Lei Kel, had given him. They had taken him to the Kowloon City Police Station, from where the police had sent him to the Kowloon Hospital.

The very same day the condition of the old Hakka had become critical. At an identification parade held in his ward at the hospital, he had identified Lau Lau and Lei Kel as the two men who had been beating him.

Hearing of the case will be continued on Friday, July 5, at 2.30 p.m.

CONVICTION
QUASHEDJunk Master Wins
Appeal

An appeal brought by Fung Tai, junk master, against his conviction and sentence of three months' hard labour by the District Officer (South) was upheld by the Acting Chief Justice, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, in the Supreme Court yesterday.

Mr. G. S. Hugh-Jones, of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist appeared for appellant, while complainant was not present.

PRISON OVERSIGHT

Mr. Hugh-Jones then pointed out that on the day following the conviction, he gave notice of appeal in writing, at the same time requesting that recognisances be taken by the Superintendent of Prisons. On that, his client should be treated as a remand prisoner, but instead he was treated as a convicted prisoner for 10 days. He did not wish to complain of that matter, but at the same time he desired to have the matter looked into to avoid a repetition.

His Lordship remarked it was a serious oversight and said he would refer the matter to the Attorney General.

CONTRACTOR FINED

A fine of \$1000 was imposed at the Kowloon Court yesterday on Tsang Poo, contractor, of 50 Portland Street, when he appeared before Mr. Barnett on a charge of having at a forbidden hour conducted blasting operations at Gramplan Road.

Tsang Poo had been conducting blasting operations on concrete at 5.40 p.m. on July 12.

H.K. POLICE
RESERVE

(Orders by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King,
Commissioner of Police)

CHINESE COMPANY

Training Course—Part II. The undermentioned members of the Chinese Company will attend Chinese Company Headquarters for Part II of Training Course on Tuesday, August 2nd at 17.30 hours:—

Constables R7 Fong Yu Ping, R13 Tang Shiu Hung, R16 Yan Kwong, Yin, R18 Lai Ching Fan, R24 Lo Man Pok, R33 Lam Shiu So, R35 Leung Wing Tseung, R33 Lin Ka Hang, R95 Ho Thong Choi, R97 Wong Chun Pang, R99 Kwok Kin Kwong, and R100 Kwok Chan.

Inspection Parade. All ranks of the Chinese Company will parade at Central Police Station on Thursday, August 4th at 17.30 hours for a general inspection of equipment etc., by the Company Commander. Dress—White Uniform, Cap with White Cover, Belt with Brace, Truncheon, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. The Equipment Officer will make a point of being present.

INDIAN COMPANY

Training Course—Part II. The undermentioned members of the Indian Company will attend Indian Company Headquarters for Part II of Training Course on Wednesday, August 3rd at 17.30 hours under L.S.R. 214 Channan Singh:—

Constables R230 B. Singh, R232 K. Mohamed, R235 A.A. Pipe, R236 H. G. Mohamed, R285 A. Singh, R243 A. Ghani, R247 B. Ram, R249 S. Singh, R252 F. Mohamed, R288 H. Singh, R293 G. Singh, R294 A. Rehman, R244 G. Sarwar, R237 K. Bachoo, R295 F. Khan, R298 F. Alam, R298 S. Omar and R300 B. Singh.

Training Course—Part I. All recruits of the Indian Company will attend No. 2 Police Station on Thursday, August 4th at 17.30 hours for Part I of Training Course under P. S. R. 274 Mehdi Khan. Dress—Muti.

FLYING SQUAD

Special Duty. Those men who are detailed for special duty will parade at Central Police Station on Tuesday, August 2nd at 16.30 hours. Dress—White Uniform, and Cap with White Cover.

EMERGENCY UNIT RESERVE

An instructor's course on Air Raid Precaution Work will be given on Tuesday, August 2nd and Friday, August 4th at 17.30 hours at the E. U. R. Club by S. I. (R) R.P. Dunlop. All members who intend to take this course must attend all lectures.

C. CHAMPKIN

D.E.P. (R)

Hong Kong, August 2, 1938.

LOCAL HEALTH

Six cases of cholera were reported to the local health authorities during the three days ended midnight Monday. The number of cases so far reported is 247.

Other diseases notified during the period were nine cases of dysentery, seven cases of enteric fever, two cases of measles, and one case of cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Miss Olga Muller, a Danish nurse who for many years was in the service of Queen Alexandra, is paying her first visit to Copenhagen for 38 years at the invitation of King Christian.

JAPANESE USE DUMMY SOLDIERS AND CANNONS IN EAST HONAN

Chinese Farmers Rise Up In Arms In Large Numbers

Mikado's Officers And Men Growing Tired Of War

Loyang, August 2.

Dummy soldiers and cannons made of rubber and other materials are used by the Japanese in east Honan, according to Colonel Sung Keh-pin, Administrative Commissioner and concurrently Peace Preservation Commander for east Honan, who arrived here recently from the front.

After the transfer of large contingents to the Yangtze River front, there are now only between 5,000 and 6,000 Japanese troops, of the 10th Division in east Honan and most of them are stationed at Kweichow, Lanfeng and other towns along the Lunghai Railway, Colonel Sung said.

Deprived of their homes and possessions through recent operations the farmers in east Honan, Colonel Sung asserted, are rising in arms in large numbers against the Japanese. About 5,200 are under his personal command.

Taking cover in the tall green plants, these irregulars have launched constant sudden attacks on isolated units of Japanese troops, inflicting heavy casualties upon them.

German After Commercial Air Record

SEAPLANE SETS OUT ON WORLD FLIGHT

Port Washington, August 2. The German seaplane, Nordwind, took off at 7 a.m. New York Time, for Portugal, via the Azores, with Captain Hans Bertram aboard.

He is planning to make a record-breaking 2,400 mile circuit of the globe in 19 days 21 hours, using only scheduled commercial planes.—(Reuter).

EMPIRE MAIL

Sydney, August 2. The Quantas Company's plane, Carpentaria, left for England at 7 a.m. today with the first five-penny Empire air mails.—(Reuter).

HOME CRICKET

(Continued from Page 1)

DERBY V. WARWICK
Derbyshire beat Warwickshire by an innings and 28 runs.
Warwick: 187 (Dollery 113) and 162 (Copson 6 for 36).
Derby: 377 (A. Pope 103).

BATTLE OF THE ROSES
Yorkshire defeated Lancashire by an innings and 200 runs.
Lancashire: 133 (Robinson 5 for 57) and 120 (Hedley Verity 5 for 21).

Yorkshire: 453 (Maurice Leyland 135, Nutter 5 for 68).
Essex defeated Worcester by four wickets.

Worcester: 151 (Kenneth Farnes 6 for 43) and 248 (Farnes 8 for 78).
Essex: 200 (Howarth 4 for 58) and 200 for 6 wickets.—(Reuter).

LUNCH SCORES

London, August 2.
There was no play at Swansea before lunch today in the match between Glamorgan and the Australians. At the close of play yesterday, Glamorgan had scored 148 for the loss of five wickets.
Other lunch scores were:
Gloucester 233 and 32 for 0 v. Somerset 501 for 7 declared.
Northants 351 v. Leicester 352 and 132 for 5.
Surrey 447 v. Notts 443 for 8.—(Reuter Bulletin).

SITUATION IN RANGOON

Rangoon, August 2.
Owing to disquieting reports received from the district around Tharrawaddy in the Pegu division of Burma, troops have been dispatched to reinforce the local garrison. It is feared that disorders which have been suppressed in Rangoon and Mandalay may now spread to Tharrawaddy.—(Transocean).

EX-PREMIER'S BIRTHDAY



Earl Baldwin of Bewdley, K. G. today celebrates his 71st birthday. He succeeded the late Mr. Ramsay MacDonald as Premier in June 1935 and after the General Election in November of the same year continued as Premier with the reconstructed Ministry. He retired from the Premiership and received a peerage in May 1937.

Palestine Casualties During July

OVER 200 DEAD: 450 WOUNDED IN CLASHES

Jerusalem, August 2.

Two hundred and eight dead and more than 450 wounded are on the casualty list of Palestine clashes during July. The number includes 148 Arabs and 60 Jews killed, and 258 Arabs and 201 Jews wounded.

Fresh incidents occurred today.

An Arab police constable was found seriously wounded near the Damascus Gate at Jerusalem.

Two bombs were thrown in Haifa wounding two Circassians and one Arab.

Arab irregulars attacked a Government building at Hebron but withdrew after a short exchange of shots with the police.

An attempt was made on the Lydda-Haifa railway line where a goods train was derailed.

A mine also exploded under a passing goods train on the Jaffa-Haifa Railway but caused no damage.

The High Commissioner of Palestine has confirmed the death sentence passed on a Jewish auxiliary policeman for the assassination of an Arab policeman.—(Transocean).

FRENCH BANKERS LEAVE FOR SOFIA

Paris, August 2.

A manager of French Bankers will, it is announced, leave for Sofia within the next few days to negotiate for the opening of private credits destined to finance the placing of Bulgarian orders with French industry.

A semi-official communiqué stresses that this is solely a matter of private initiative and that there is no question of any credit to be granted by the French Government to Bulgaria.—(Transocean).

PUPPET POLICE CHIEF HELD BY JAPANESE

SUSPECTED OF INSTIGATING REVOLT AGAINST REGIME

Shanghai, August 2.

Suspected of having instigated a revolt against the Japanese-controlled Taitao Government and having plotted with a Chinese guerrilla band to occupy Pootung on August 13, the first anniversary of the Shanghai war, the Taitao Chief of Police was arrested by Japanese police officials last night.

Several members of his family and 20 Chinese officials of the bogus government were also taken into custody.

It is declared that a complete arsenal was discovered in the home of the police chief.

With the approach of August 13, a tense atmosphere has developed, particularly in Pootung, and the Japanese have taken extensive precautionary measures.

NATIONALITIES BILL CRITICISED

Sudetens Dissatisfied With Second Position To Czechs

Prague, August 2.

Sudetens German headquarters has published a reasoned criticism of the Government Nationalities Statute and Language Bills, declaring that the Government proposals "practically consist of a modification of the existing conditions but do not bring material relief to the situation of the non-Czech peoples."

They are based on the principle of the Czech national state in which other nationalities only have secondary rights. It is claimed.

The memorandum puts the responsibility for the present tense situation on the Czech Government for its alleged abuse of the power of the State in every way for the advantage of the Czech people and the repression of other nationalities.

A communiqué issued after a four-hour meeting of the Sudeten leaders recognises the importance of the visit of Lord Runciman to Prague as a manifestation of British good will in favour of the settlement of the nationalities problem of Czechoslovakia and the consolidation of European peace.

Replying to the letter from Herr Kundt, Chairman of the Sudeten German Parliamentary group, the Premier, Dr. Hodza, promises to furnish a considered reply to the Sudeten's memorandum of June 7 and declares that the presence of Lord Runciman would affect the procedure and negotiations.—(Reuter).

FIRE DESTROYS JAPANESE ARMS DEPOT

Shan, August 2.

A disastrous fire broke out in a Japanese ammunition depot at Wofuwan, a suburb of Taitung in north-east Shan-shi, on July 29 and lasted the whole night.

The building and storage dumps were completely destroyed.—(International).

REFUGEE RELIEF WORK

London, August 2.

The International Committee appointed by the Evian Refugee Conference will meet on Wednesday in London and will be presided over by Lord Winterton. The main subject of the first meeting will be the appointment of a Director who will have to continue the relief work.

It is expected that an American will be selected.—(Transocean).

C.M.S. STAFF CHANGES

The General Committee of the Church Missionary Society recently appointed as financial secretary Mr. Oliver Turton, a chartered accountant, who after considerable business experience in India and London, proceeded to Uganda for special service in the C.M.S. Missions in East Africa.

The committee also appointed to the post of physician and secretary to the Medical Committee Dr. H. G. Anderson, who has been a missionary on the staff of the West China Union University from 1926.

The committee received with great regret the resignation of Colonel Sir Cusack Walton, who has held the post of secretary for India at the C.M.S. headquarters in London for the last four years.—(The Times).

WUHAN DEFENCE NOT AFFECTED BY REMOVALS

Hankow, August 2.

Removal of government offices from Hankow does not mean the abandonment of the Wuhan area, declared Mr. Wang Ching-wei, Deputy General Executive of the Kuomintang, in a press interview yesterday.

The removal, Mr. Wang explained, is for the purpose of centralising government machinery in Chungking, present seat of the National Government, thereby increasing efficiency, and will in no way affect the scheme for the defence of the Wuhan area.

It will also speed up the scattering of the civilians as, despite government warnings, many still choose to stay when they see the presence of so many government offices.—(Central News).

MAN WHO BEAT THE U-BOATS

War-Time Inventor To Retire

Prof. J. T. MacGregor-Morris, inventor of the directional hydrophone for detecting submarines, which played such an important part in defeating the U-boat menace during the war, is about to retire from his position as head of the Department of Electrical Engineering at Queen Mary College, Mile End-road, E.

Experiments which he conducted in 1915 in conjunction with Mr. A. F. Sykes, then a research student, and which led to the invention, were described by the professor.

"We used two head-phones and a pall of water in my room at this college," he said. "After initial tests we moved to a large tank, and, after a few months' further research, we were granted the use during the winter of a swimming-bath next door."

"We placed little buzzers in tins into the water, and we ascertained at what distance the sound could be heard and its direction indicated."

"So successful were these experiments that we decided to extend them. On a cold day in April, 1916, we set out by taxi for the Elstree reservoir, where, using two boats 100 yards apart, I, with my eyes closed, was able to detect the direction of the sound with remarkable exactness."

THOUSANDS USED

Subsequently, in conjunction with the Admiralty, trials were made in the open sea in a drifter. There was evolved a directional finder three times as sensitive as anything hitherto known. Before the war ended thousands of them were in use, and special training schools were established for instructing men in their use.

This was Prof. MacGregor-Morris's great contribution to the defence of his country, but he regards it as no more than an incident in his career.

He has played an important part in the development of the cathode ray oscillograph, which is employed in television and acoustics, and is used for recording heart beats, the performance of internal combustion engines, the steering of ships, and technological problems, such as the measurement of lightning flashes, the study of high voltage corona and surges in transmission lines.

Prof. MacGregor-Morris was assistant to Prof. Ambrose Fleming at University College, London, when, 40 years ago, he took over

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NOTICE

The Railway Administration's attention has been drawn to the fact that persistent efforts are still being made to induce merchants to purchase wagon space, notwithstanding the advice issued in previous notices that consignors should make direct application.

The Administration therefore appeals to bona fide merchants to apply direct giving particulars of the class of cargo they wish to ship and producing definite proof of ownership.

The Administration will welcome any information giving names and addresses of persons offering space at enhanced rates. Consignors are therefore warned to refuse all offers made to them for the sale of wagon space and to pay only those freight charges which are correct according to the regulations.

Examples	To Wu Chang	To Chang Sha
Class 1 cargo, 40-ton car-load	HK\$2,013.60	\$1,972.60
Class 2 cargo, 40-ton car-load	1,530.80	1,496.00
Class 3 cargo, 40-ton car-load	1,258.40	1,227.60
Class 4 cargo, 40-ton car-load	1,010.00	986.80
Class 5 cargo, 40-ton car-load	787.60	760.00
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JAPANESE PLANES RESUME RAILWAY BOMBING

Canton, Aug. 2.

Fifteen Japanese planes resumed their bombing raid along the Canton-Kowloon railway this afternoon.

Taking off from their base off the Chungshan coast, the raiding planes followed their usual course by flying over Po-on, Shumchun, Bocca Tigris to cut the railway at Changmukto where they dropped a number of bombs on the open field, causing little damage.

The raiders then proceeded along the railway northward and released several more missiles at Sheung-ping and Wanglik stations. Some length of tracks and a number of sleepers were damaged at both of the places.

The raiders finally departed at four o'clock.—(Central News).

FRENCH SECURITY POLICE STRENGTH

Paris, August 2.

The Republican Mobile Guard which constitutes a kind of French security police, and may be employed both in peace and war for maintaining order in the interior of the country, is to be almost doubled in strength states a report in Le Matin.—(Transocean).

BRITISH MILITARY MISSION

Lisbon, August 2.

The British Military Mission which has been staying in Portugal for several weeks past left on Monday night for Faro to inspect the south coast of Portugal. The British military delegates are being accompanied on this journey by a group of high Portuguese Army officers.—(Transocean).

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY THREATENED

The supply of electricity to Christchurch is threatened by a serious leak in the intake tunnel from Lake Coleridge, Auckland, which carries the water for the generation of hydro-electric power.

Mr. R. Semple, Minister of Public Works, describes the construction of the tunnel as an engineering blunder of the first magnitude.

the department of electrical engineering in what was then a technical school in Mile End-road. He has seen the school develop until it has become an important part of the University of London.

MOSCOW AID DENIED

By Communist Leader

Earl Browder, General Secretary of the Communist Party in the United States, reviewed a series of charges which he said had been made against his Party and replied to them.

It is not true, he said, that the Communists in the United States receive instructions or financial aid from Moscow, or that they seek to stir up strikes and industrial disorders.

In his testimony before a joint legislative committee holding hearings on law enforcement, he acknowledged that his Party was affiliated with an international organization.

He denied that when the Party stopped calling itself a "section of" the International Communist Party at its convention last month and substituted the term "affiliated with" it did so as "a cover-up to soften the attitude of the American people toward the Party," as suggested by Senator John J. McNaboe, committee chairman.

"The change was made to get closer to established use of the language," Mr. Browder said.

COLONEL BECK IN OSLO

Oslo, August 2.

The Polish Foreign Minister, Colonel Josef Beck, arrived here yesterday on an official visit. He will be received today by King Haakon VII.

The visit is believed to bear a direct relationship to the new Polish policy of emphasizing Poland's position as a strong Baltic power while maintaining strict neutrality.—(Transocean).

JAPANESE TROOPS WITHDRAW

Hankow, August 2.

Mutinies by Mongol and Manchukuoan troops north of Shan-haiwan have resulted in the withdrawal of a part of the Japanese troops from north Shanai.

The border fighting in Kirin has added tension to the situation in Manchuria.—(International).

ALL THE SPORTING NEWS AND NOTES

CHARLIE ENCARNACAO LEADING JOCKEY

Silkylight Earns \$8001 In First Half Season

The Hong Kong Racing Record for the first half of 1938 has just been published and as in the case of the previous issues it is a mine of information for followers of the Sport of Kings.

Mr. Charles Encarnacao, the well-known Shanghai jockey, tops the list with 14 wins but he is only just in front of Mr. Donald Black and Mr. H. C. Pih who tie for second place with 13 wins each.

It is interesting to note that the total stakes won by Silkylight, Derby and Champions winner, amount to \$8,801 for the half-year. Cameronian won \$4,800 and that old champion, Liberty Bay \$1,750, bringing its total earnings up to \$39,148.



Silkylight, after its Derby win.

The one on the Hong Kong Derby on February 21, was won by ticket No. 68,172 (which drew Silkylight), held by the now well-known "Amah Syndicate," the prize money being \$141,380.45.

LEAGUE TENNIS

Army T.C. Beat Indian R.C.

At Sookpoo yesterday the Army Tennis Club beat the Indian Recreation Club by 3 sets to 1 in a postponed "C" Division fixture of the Tennis League.

Scores:—

E. Bradshaw and D. J. Adlam (A.T.C.) beat M. U. Razack and I. Kitchell 6-2
beat A. M. Rumjahn and M. O. Hoosen 6-4
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A. A. Barton and I. Webb (A.T.C.) beat Razack and Kitchell 6-4
beat Rumjahn and Hoosen 6-4
beat Madar and Razack 6-3
E. Flintner and C. R. Durnford (A.T.C.) beat Razack and Kitchell 6-1
lost to Rumjahn and Hoosen 5-7
beat Madar and Razack 7-5

Sporting Fixtures

TODAY

BADMINTON.—Y.M.C.A. Ladies Badminton in the West Lounge.
BOWLS.—Open Singles Championship (Second Round):—(At Kowloon Dock Recreation Club): J. E. Noronha or G. Sheriff v. C. P. Remedios; A. Hyde-Lay v. A. E. Carey; C. B. Hoskin v. H. A. Alves; (At Craigengower Cricket Club): J. A. da Luz v. A. K. Minu; R. Ellis v. W. Gill; S. Ecclehall v. E. W. Lines; (At Indian Recreation Club): E. C. Fincher v. A. E. Coates; W. K. Way or A. Warr v. J. E. Henson; V. Ramsey v. J. Cavanagh.
MEETINGS.—Annual of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, at the Club House, North Point, 5.45 p.m.
TENNIS.—"B" Division: Craigengower C.C. v. Chinese R.C.; H.K. University v. Club de Recreio; Civil Service C.C. v. Indian R.C.

TOMORROW

BOWLS.—Open Singles Championship (Second Round): (At Club de Recreio): J. Coleman v. J. S. Logan or N. Norman.
DARTS.—"H.B." League: Neptune v. Embassy; Jolly Roger v. R.A.O. C.; Imperial v. C.P.O.C.
TENNIS.—"C" Division: Army T.C. v. Kowloon T.C.; Craigengower C.C. v. H.K. University; S. China A.A. v. Club de Recreio.

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TENNIS.—"D" Division: Kowloon T.C. v. Army T.C.; Kowloon Indian T.C. v. Central British Assn.; Kowloon C.C. v. Chinese R.C.; Indian R.C. v. Club de Recreio; Civil Service C.C. v. Craigengower C.C.; Police R.C. v. S. China A.A.

New Swedish Swimming Star Found

Stockholm, August 2. A 20-year-old Norwegian girl named Gudrun Dahle swam from the Aalands Islands to the Swedish mainland on Sunday, crossing the 30 kilometres-wide Aaland sea in 13 hours and 10 minutes.

She was compelled to board a boat, however, when she was only 1000 metres from the Swedish coast since a strong current prevented her from reaching the coast by swimming.

The girl swimmer, who started from the finishing village of Grisslehamn, had kept her plan completely secret and only a few members of the summer colony of Grisslehamn witnessed the start while in the water, the girl sang arias from operas and other songs to relieve the tedium of her journey. The Swedish press pays great tribute to the girl's performance and points out that a new long-distance swimmer of the highest calibre has been unexpectedly discovered in Gudrun Dahle, who was hitherto completely unknown.—(Transocean).

DANISH GIRL SWIMMER'S NEW RECORD

Copenhagen, Aug. 2. Another world record was established yesterday by the phenomenal 17-year-old Danish girl swimmer, Ragnhild Hveger, when she lowered her own record in the 400 metres crawl to 5 minutes, 8.1 secs.—(Transocean).

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, August 2. Only two matches, both in the American section, were played in the Baseball League yesterday. Washington Senators defeating Cleveland Indians and Philadelphia Athletics beating Detroit Tigers.

AMERICAN LEAGUE	
	R. H. E.
Washington	11 14 2
Cleveland	8 7 1
(Ten innings were played. Simmons homered for the Senators).	
Philadelphia	4 10 0
Detroit	0 9 1
(Ross pitched for the Athletics).	
(Reuter).	

BAERLAND-FARR BOUT

Helsingfors, August 2. The Finnish heavyweight boxer Gunnar Baerland, has signed a contract with the British heavyweight, Tommy Farr, for a fight in the United States late this year.—(Transocean).

GOLF RESULTS

Happy Valley, 2nd Summer Singles (First Round Results)
D. Humphreys (11) w.o. R. Young (6) scratched.
J. J. A. Sherry (18) beat W. W. C. Shewan (9).
J. F. G. van Rede (18) beat J. W. Mayhew 1 up.
A. V. Greaves (14) beat N. J. Booker (13) 3-2.
J. Stenerson (15) w.o. J. W. McDonald (7) scratched.
W. J. Dyer (15) beat H. H. Mundy (10) 1 up.
Faaling Golf
Bogey (Par) Pool (Old Course Fanning):—
W. J. E. Mackenzie (19) all square—wins—16 entries.
Stableford Competition (Old Course, Fanning):—
P. Welch (18) 33 points wins—13 entries.

ARMY TENNIS LEAGUE

Results Up To 31-7-38

"A" DIVISION				
	Won	Lost	For	Against Pts.
40 Co. R.E. "A"	4	1	36	9 36
R.A.O.C. "A"	5	2	33	30 33
H.Q. Wing Royal Scots	3	—	22	5 22
B. Co. Royal Scots	3	2	22	33 22
H.Q. 8th Heavy Regt.	2	4	22	32 22
22nd Co. R.E.	2	2	18	20 16
9th Bty. R.A.	—	4	13	23 13
D. Co. Royal Scots	—	4	7	29 7
"B" DIVISION				
	Won	Lost	For	Against Pts.
R.A.P.C.	5	—	41	4 41
R.A.O.C. "B"	5	—	41	4 41
R.A.M.C.	4	2	34	20 34
R.A.S.C.	2	3	19	28 19
7th Bty. R.A.	1	4	13	32 13
40 Co. R.E. "B"	1	4	11	34 11
C. Co. Royal Scots	—	5	3	42 3

HUGE HOLIDAY CROWD WATCH AUSTRALIANS

But Rainstorm Stops Cricket

London, August 1. A holiday crowd of 20,000 turned up at Swansea today to see the Australian cricket tourists play Glamorgan, but rain washed out play for the day after the Welshmen had taken their total of 38 for none on Saturday to 148 for five wickets.

A heavy storm broke out during tea and prevented the match for continuing.

Of Glamorgan's total of 148 for five, Emrys Davies had 58.

Kent succeeded their match against Hampshire today, winning by an innings and 108 runs.

Kent scored 407, of which Knott had 112, while Hampshire were first, dismissed for 102 and in the follow-on for 197.

CLOSE OF PLAY

The following were the scores at close of play in other matches: Gloucester 103 for 8; Somerset 401 for 7 declared.
Lancashire 133 and 68 for 1; Yorkshire 415.
Northants 251; Leicester 352 and 35 for 1.
Surrey 447; Notts 319 for 4; Sussex 298 and 181; Middlesex 178 and 190 for 3.
Warwickshire 187 and 140 for 5; Derby 377.
Worcester 161 and 248; Essex 200 and 127 for 5.—(Reuter).

FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION COUNCIL MEETING

Affiliation Of Three New Clubs Approved

BOYS' LEAGUE DISCUSSION

It was decided at last night's meeting of the Hong Kong Football Association Council to send another copy of the rules, with regard to the eligibility of players, to Shanghai, at the same time asking them whether, in view of the conditions existing in the Northern port, as well as because of the financial position of the Hong Kong F.A., they would come down here to play in the Interport match.

Mr. W. Pryde presided at the meeting, supported by Mr. E. S. Carter, retiring Hon. Secretary, Mr. C. A. Goldenburg is the new Hon. Secretary.

Of four new Clubs seeking affiliation to the Association, the Hong Kong Electric, the P.W.D. and Stonecutters Wireless Station were approved. It was decided to write to the Kit Che Athletic Association asking for further information.

It was also decided to write to the Chinese Amateur Athletic Federation, asking them for information as to the number of Clubs affiliated to them which were not represented on the F.A. Council. This was after a letter from the C.A.A.F. had been read, in which the question of the relationship between the two bodies had been brought up.

LAWN BOWLS TITLE

Open Singles Results

Three games were decided at the H.K.F.C. in the third round of the Colony Lawn Bowls Singles Championship yesterday:—

A. R. Dallah beat R. Basa 20-11.
G. H. Sherriff beat J. E. Noronha 21-1.

J. Watson beat E. Zimmermann 22-14.

At the Kowloon Cricket Club:—

J. C. Brown beat G. N. Mitchell 21-19.

L. F. Xavier beat A. Brooksbank 22-14.

B. W. Bradbury beat D. W. Waterton 21-10.

C. M. Silva beat R. Duncan 21-13.

R. Duncan won the title in 1935.

The following will represent the Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club against the Kowloon Football Club on Saturday:—

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A. Tarbuck, G. T. Padgett, A. F. Paul, J. Sloan (skip).

J. R. Way, W. Stoker, H. S. McKay, W. B. Muskett (skip). Reserve: J. F. Hedley.

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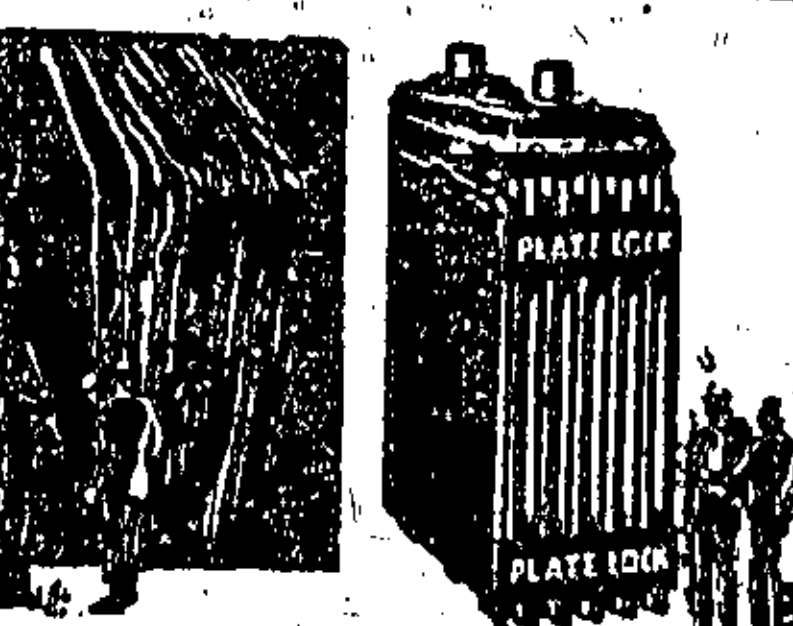
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Hong Kong Stock Exchange Sharebrokers' Association

Buyers	Sellers	Salts	Nominal	TUESDAY, AUGUST 2.	Buyers	Sellers	Salts	Nominal
				Banks				
				H.K. Bank				\$1,510
				Do. (London)				\$282
				Chartered Bank				\$282
				Merchants Bank				\$282
				Bank of East Asia				\$282
				N.C. & S. Bank				\$282
				Insurance				
				Union Insurance				\$495
				Union Insurance				\$495
				Union Insurance				\$495
				Shipping				
				Shipping				\$76
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				Shipping				\$76
				Industries				
				Industries				\$1,510
				Industries				\$1,510
				Industries				\$1,510
				Others				
				Others				\$1,510
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LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)

	July 28	July 30
Paris	178-11/34	178-11/34
Geneva	21.49	21.45
Berlin	12.24	12.24
Athens		
Milan	93	93
Copenhagen		
Stockholm		
Shanghai	4.91	4.91-11/16
New York	8.93	8.95
Amsterdam		
Vienna	141	142
Prague	228	
Helsinki	670	
Bucharest	1/2 31/32	
Hong Kong	1/5 29/32	
Bombay	4.93	4.93
Montreal	29.08	29.09
Brussels		
Yokohama		
Sellers		
Buenos Aires	18.94	
Monte Video	204	
Rio	2-27/32	
Silver (Forward)	19-3/16	19
Silver (Spot)	19-5/16	19
War Loan	34 1/2-102 1/2	

Closing Quotations

August 2, 1938.

On London	On New York
Telegraphic Transfer	On demand
Bank Bills, on demand	Credit, 30 days' sight
Credit, 4 months' sight	On demand
On Shanghai	On demand
On demand	On demand
On Singapore	On demand
On demand	On demand
On Japan	On demand
On demand	On demand
On India	On demand
Telegraphic Transfer	On demand
Bank, on demand	On demand

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

The Silver market was closed yesterday, the quotations remaining at 19 3/8 for Ready and 19 1/4 for Forward. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot. The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 491.68. New York-London was quoted at 491 3/8.

MARKET
Uncertain at the opening but later eased off slightly.

STERLING
The market opened with sellers at 1/3 August-October, buyers at 1/3 1/32 Cash and 1/3 November, leading to business at 1/3 October. September, August and Cash. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 1/2 31/32 August-November, buyers at 1/3 August, possibly Cash and 1/2 31/32 December.

U.S. DOLLARS
Sellers at 30 11/16 August and 30 5/8 September-October, buyers at 30 3/4 Cash-September and 30 11/16 October.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS
185 Nominal.

SHANGHAI MARKET
Sterling, 8d. nominal, U.S. 16 3/8 nominal.

IN THE AFTERNOON
The market was quiet in the afternoon.

STERLING
The market closed with sellers at 1/2 31/32 August-November and 1/2 15/16 December-January, buyers at 1/3 August, possibly Cash and 1/2 31/32 December.

U.S. DOLLARS
Sellers at 30 11/16 August and 30 5/8 September-October, buyers at 30 3/4 Cash-September and 30 11/16 October.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Market ruled quiet but steady.

BUYERS

H.K. Bank (Lon), 290 x.d.

Union Waterboats, \$9.

Providents (Old), \$3.55.

Raubs, \$9.70.

Venz. Goldfield, \$3.

H. and S. Hotels, \$64.

H.K. Lands, \$383.

H.K. Lands 4% Deb., \$107.

H.K. Realities, \$5.80.

H.K. Tramways, \$17.45.

Peak Trams (Old), \$24.65.

Y. Ferries (New), \$24.

China Lights (Old), \$10.90.

H.K. Electric, \$604.

Telephones (Old), \$263.

Cements, \$16.60.

Watsons, \$7.35.

Constructions, \$12.

H.K. Govt. 4% Loan, 4% pm. ex. int.

H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan, 1 1/4% pm.

Marsmans (H.K.), 3/1.

Consol. Ch. Prov. (Old), \$7.10.

SELLERS

Providents (Old), \$3.65.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6.85.

Watsons, \$7.

Consol. Ch. Prov. (Old), \$7.30.

SALES

Providents (New), \$3.45.

H.K. Lands, \$39.

Daily Farms, \$28.

(Prices below in Phil. Currency)

Antamoks P., 39

Benquet Consol., 11.00

Coco Grove, 43

Atoks, 294

Consol. Mins., 005

Demonstrations, 284

L.X.L., 65

San Mauricio, 52

Suyoc Consol., 174

United Paracales, 324

H.K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION**BUYERS**

Star Ferries, \$70.50.

Watsons, \$7.35.

Antamoks, 82 cts.

SELLERS

China Light (Old), \$11.10.

SALES

Lands, \$39.00.

Cements, \$16.70.

Dairy-Farms, \$25.75.

Govt. Loans, 106% Ex. Int.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

Berlin, August 2.

The Reichsmark was quoted

without guarantee at:

New York, 40.18.

Paris, 1355.

Amsterdam, 73.15 to 73.20.

Paris U.S. Dollar, 36.225 to 36.235. (Transocean).

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATIONS

1938	High	Low	Dow Jones Average	July 30	High	Low	Close	Change
144.91	88.85	30	Industrial	141.25	140.95	139.83	140.37	.54 off
32.77	19.00	30	Rail	28.43	28.40	28.07	28.15	.30 off
22.55	15.14	30	Utilities	20.63	20.58	20.40	20.50	.13 off
92.70	53.39	40	Bonds	90.37			90.19	.18 off
54.93	43.03	11	Commodity Index	unquoted			59.00	

Business Done:—\$90,000 shares.

STOCKS	Last Sale	STOCKS	Last Sale
Adams Express	12 1/2	Great Western Sugar	28 3/8
Allegheny Steel Co.	18 1/2	Greyhound Corp.	16 1/2
Allis Chalmers	50 1/2	Hecker Products	7 1/2
Amer. Can.	98 1/2	Int. Nickel	50 1/2
Amer. & For. Power	4 1/2	Int. Tel. & Tel.	9 1/2
Amer. & For. S. P.	20 1/2	Kennecott Copper	41 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	22 1/2	Libbey-Owens-Ford	45 1/2
Amer. Metals	35 1/2	Glass	45 1/2
Amer. Radiator	15 1/2	Lockheed Aircraft	14 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill	20 1/2	Loew's Inc.	49 1/2
Amer. Smelting	49 1/2	Martin, Glen L.	24 1/2
Amer. Sugar Ref.	27 1/2	McKesson & Rob-	34 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	142 1/2	bins, \$3 pf.	34 1/2
Amer. Tobacco	87 1/2	Montgomery Ward	46 1/2
Amer. Waterworks	11 1/2	Nat. Dairy Products	16 1/2
Anacosta Copper	35 1/2	Nat. Distillers	25 1/2
Atchafalca, T. & S. P.	36 1/2	Nat. Power & Light	7 1/2
Auburn Motors	94 1/2	Nat. Supply Corp.	20 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	24 1/2	New York Central	104 1/2
Barber & Co.	20 1/2	N. America Aviation	104 1/2
Barnsdall Oil	20 1/2	North America Co.	21 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	58 1/2	Northern Pacific	124 1/2
Boeing Airplane Co.	28 1/2	Pacific Gas & Elec	26 1/2
Borg-Warner	31 1/2	Pacific Lighting	39 1/2
Briggs Manufacturing	33 1/2	Packard Motors	51 1/2
Brooklyn-Manhattan	11 1/2	Paramount Pictures	104 1/2
Trans.	11 1/2	Pennsylvania R.R.	21 1/2
Brooklyn-Manhattan	33 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	42 1/2
Case, J.I.	100 1/2	Public Service of N.J.	30 1/2
Case, J.I.	7 1/2	Pure Oil	12 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	32 1/2	Radio Corp. of Am.	7 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	70 1/2	Republic Steel	18 1/2
Columbia Gas & El.	7 1/2	Reynold Tobac. "B"	43 1/2
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	68 1/2	Scherley	20 1/2
Commercial Credit	48 1/2	Schenley, 5 1/2 pf.	75 1/2
Commonwealth & S.	1 1/2	Sears Roebuck	72 1/2
Consolidated Edison	38 1/2	Shell Union Oil	17 1/2
Consolidated Oil	104 1/2	Socony-Vacuum Oil	15 1/2
Continental Can	44 1/2	Southern Pacific	18 1/2
Continental Oil	35 1/2	Southern Ry. \$5 pf.	18 1/2
Corn. Products	68 1/2	Standard Brands	8 1/2
Curtiss Wright (C)	58 1/2	Stand. Gas & Elec	42 1/2
Curtiss Wright "A"	22 1/2	Standard Oil of N.J.	57 1/2
Distillers Corp. Sea-	16 1/2	Stone & Webster	104 1/2
grams	16 1/2	Swift International	28 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	49 1/2	Technicolor	25 1/2
Du Pont	126 1/2	Texas Gulf Sulphur	35 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead	11 1/2	20th Cent. Fox Films	25 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	8 1/2	do. Films pf.	32 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	51 1/2	Union Carbide &	33 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	51 1/2	Carbon	82 1/2
Elec. Power & Light	55 1/2	Union Pacific	27 1/2
\$7 pf.	40 1/2	United Aircraft	81 1/2
Flintkote	22 1/2	United Airlines Trans	9 1/2
Gen. America Trans	50 1/2	United Corp.	3 1/2
Gen. Electric	40 1/2	cum. pf.	31 1/2
Gen. Motors	43 1/2	United Gas Corp.	4 1/2
Gen. Railway Signal	21 1/2	Un. Gas Improv't	104 1/2
Glidden Co.	23 1/2	U.S. Rubber	44 1/2
Goodrich (B.F.)	22 1/2	U.S. Rubber pf.	82 1/2
Goodrich \$5 pf.	56 1/2	U.S. Steel	59 1/2
Goodyear Tire & Co.	27 1/2	Vanadium	19 1/2
Great Northern Iron	13 1/2	Warner Bros. Pict.	64 1/2
Ore	13 1/2	Westinghouse Elec.	104 1/2
Great Northern Ry.	22 1/2	Woodward Iron Corp.	19 1/2
		Chase National Bk.	32 1/2
		National City Bank	26 1/2
		Call Money	1% 1/2

WORLD WHEAT EXCEEDS NEEDS

The International Institute of Agriculture reported at Rome recently that this year's world wheat crop probably would be sharply above the world's needs.

"The Institute estimates that in the present state of things it would require an exceptional series of unfavorable circumstances for world wheat production not to be at least equal to that of last year, which was abundant," the Institute stated.

"It is very probable that countries normally producing more than their needs will have a strongly excessive exportable quantity, while the demands of importing countries it appears, should not be much above the level of the closing period."

DUTCH EMIGRATION TO AUSTRALIA

The Hague, August 2. Following conferences between the Australian Deputy Prime Minister, Sir Earle Page, with the Dutch authorities, with a view to the promotion of Dutch emigration to Australia, the Netherlands Government has decided to appoint an agricultural expert who will shortly proceed to Australia to report to the Hague respecting emigration possibilities for Dutch farmers and skilled labourers. (Reuter)

FEAR AS GREAT OBSTACLE TO WORLD TRADE

Mr. O. Stanley On Britain's Aim

Mr. Oliver Stanley, President of the Board of Trade, opening the 14th International Wool Conference recently at the May Fair Hotel, W., said that fear for the future was the greatest obstacle to international trade.

"This obstacle, with the oppressive cloud of doubts and suspicions, drowns men's initiative, saps their enthusiasm, and destroys that spirit of adventure and that sense of security which are essential if international trade is to prosper," he declared.

"I can think of no greater assistance to the future of the wool textile industry, or to the future of any industry in any country, than the removal of these fears and suspicions."

"It is the declared policy of the Government to which I belong to strive, despite all difficulties and misrepresentations, to their utmost to remove from the world the fear which now cripples our activity, destroys our lives, and which will end by making a farce of civilization."

"HOBES OF PAUPERS"

Sir Earle Page, Deputy Prime Minister of Australia, and Minister for Commerce and Health, who presided at the opening ceremony, described

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New York Commodity Market

(THROUGH REUTER'S SERVICE)

New York, August 1.	High	Low	Prev. Today's	Change
New York Cotton	8.59	8.51	8.62	.51 off
New York Rubber	16.05	15.95	16.10	.08 off
Chicago Wheat	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2	1 off
Chicago Corn	56 1/2	54 1/2	56 1/2	1 1/2 off
Winnipeg Wheat	—	—	78 1/2	closed

NEW YORK COTTON	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
October	8.62/82	8.55/58	8.51/51	11 off
December	8.70/71	8.64/65	8.58/59	12 off
January (1939)	8.72 N	8.67/87	8.60 N	12 off
March	8.77/79	8.73/73	8.65/65	12 off
May	8.80/80	8.76/76	8.68/68	12 off
July	8.85/85	8.79/80	8.71 N	14 off
Spot	8.72	—	8.61	11 off

NEW YORK RUBBER	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
September	16.10/12	16.05/00	16.02/05	.08 off
December	16.25/28	16.10/08	16.11/14	.14 off
March	16.28/30	16.15/15	16.19/20	.09 off
May	16.34 N	—	16.25 N	.09 off

Sales for the day: 2,070 tons.

CHICAGO WHEAT				
September	67 1/2/67 1/2	67 1/2/66 1/2	66 1/2/67	1 off
December	69 1/2/69 1/2	69 1/2/69 1/2	68 1/2/68 1/2	1 off
May	72 1/2/72 1/2	—	71 1/2/71 1/2	1 off

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UNION INSURANCE BUYS CONTROLLING INTEREST

It is announced that negotiations have been concluded between the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., and the principal shareholders of the British Oak Insurance Co., Ltd., for the acquisition of a controlling interest in the latter Company.

Other shareholders in the British Oak Insurance Co., Ltd. will receive an offer on similar terms as soon as possible.

The business of the British Oak Insurance Co., Ltd., will be carried on from its head office in London and its principal directors will remain in office.

The Shanghai Hardware and Metal Dealers' Association, to prevent the sale of copper plates and iron and other metals to Japanese interests recently decided that its members should supply stocks only to the local market, says a Shanghai report.

LOCAL • RADIO PROGRAMMES • FOREIGN

HONG KONG

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B metres (845 k.c's) 31.49
W metres (9.52 megacycles).

E. PELLEGGATTI (CELLO) AND L. A. LAFFORD (PIANO)
"New World" Symphony

12-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Leslie Hutchinson at the Piano.

Once In A While (Green-Edwards); I'm Delighted To See You Again (Hackford); Gone (From "Love On The Run").

12.40 p.m. London Piano-Accordeon Band.

Rosale (Thomas and Engelman); Our Days Together (Kennedy and Carr); Don't Dingle Dangle On The Old Garden Wall (Butler, Damerell and Evans); The Vamp Of Havana (Gilbert and Sullivan); The Cubano (Cuban Rhythm Dance); Banker, Young and Sims; Campus Moon (Smith, Sacco and Coots).

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Carroll Gibbons and His Boy-Friend.

Some Other Time—Fox-Trot; Fatal Fascination—Fox-Trot; Bubbling Over (Carroll Gibbons); Piano Solo—Carroll Gibbons; Page Miss Glory—Fox-Trot (From the Film); Sweet Dreams Sweetheart—Fox-Trot; Will Love Find A Way—Slow Fox-Trot; A Little Bit Independent—Fox-Trot; I Want A Fair And Square Man (Theme Song "Aunt Sally")—Piano Duo; Carroll Gibbons and John W. Green; Stars Fell On Alabama (Perkins).

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Mozart—Symphony No. 34 in C (K.338).

Played by the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham.

2.15 p.m. Close Down.

6 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trots—Admission; Merry-Go-Round—Duke Ellington and His Orchestra; Slow Waltz—At The Close Of A Long Long Day; Rumba Fox-Trot—Cuban Pete—Joe Loss and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Piano and Whistling—Piano Medley No. 2. Intro. Baster Parade; With every breath I take; His Majesty the Baby; June in January; One good tune deserves another; The big bad wolf was dead;—Ronald Gourey; Fox-Trot—Take My Heart; Waltz—Stars in My Eyes (From "The King Steps Out");—Maurice Winnick and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; One Step—Madam Ah! La Marquise Ah! Quickstep—I Like Bananas—Joe Loss and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Fox-Trot—Sugar Rose; Sing Me A Swing Song—Nat Gonella and His Georgians with vocal refrain by Nat Gonella; Hawaiian Guitar Solo—Waltzing To The Guitar—Medley—Ten Fills (Hawaiian Guitar); Tango Cantato—The Tango Of The Mula; Waltz Cantato—A Garden Of Illusion—Orchestra Tipica Francisco Canaro; Fox-Trots—You Don't Understand; Whoop It Up—Clarance Williams and His Washboard Band; Fox-Trot—I am Playing Farewell To You; Waltz—I Have A Heart For Lovely Women—Fred Stein (Piano Solo).

7 p.m. Some French Songs.

Noel Palen (Silvestre and Massenet)—Edmond Randaud (Tenor) with Orchestra; Le Chant Du Marin, (Film Sonore "Dana tous les ports du monde"); Le Lieutenant Souriant (Film Sonore "La Taratata")—Adrian Lamy with Orchestra; Aupres De Ma Blonde (Chant populaire de l'ile-de-France); Le P'tit Quinquin (L'ancien dompteur—A. Desrousseaux)—M. Jean Sorlier with Orchestra.

7.15 p.m. Musical Comedy Selections.

"The Desert Song"—Selection (Romberg)—Savoy Orpheans at the Savoy Hotel, London; "Bitter Sweet"—(Coward); Dear Little Cafe; I'll See You Again—Peggy Wood and George Metaxa with Orchestra; "The Millionaire Kid"—Selection (Mayer)—New Mayfair Orchestra with vocal refrain; "Crest Of The Wave"—Selection (Ivor Novello, arr. C. Prentice)—The Drury Lane Theatre Orchestra conducted by Charles Prentice, Mus. Bac.

7.43 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.45 p.m. London Relay—"Pirates". A talk by Richard Hughes.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Marek Weber's Orchestra and Webster Booth (Tenor).

"Tales of Hoffmann"—Potpourri (Offenbach).—Orchestra. "The Merry Widow"—Waltz (Lehar).—Orchestra. "The Quaker Girl"—Waltz (Monckton).—Sweetheart—Waltz (J. Strauss).—Orchestra.

This Year of Theatre Land, 1938.—Janet Lind and Webster Booth. Along the Banks of the Volga (Fantasia of Russian Waltzes—Borchert)—Orchestra. "Land Without Music"—Medley (O. Strauss).—Webster Booth with the London Three. "Die Fledermaus"—Selection (J. Strauss).—Orchestra.

8.45 p.m. Studio—A Recital by Ettore Pellegatti (Cello) and Lindsay A. Lafford (Piano).

1. Sonata—Largo, Allegro Spiritoso, Grave, Minuetto (Ch. Spowin); 2. Lamento Di Un Trovatore (A. Mariani); 3. Scene De Carnaval; 1. Arlequin; 2. Pourquoi? 3. Conte.

9.15 p.m. Soprano and Baritone Ballads.

The Shepherd Boy's Song (Pep-per); A Song for You and Me (Rizzi); Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone). My Dearest Heart (Sullivan); A Summer Night (Mardall and Goring Thomas); Doris Vane (Soprano) with Piano; Cello Obligato.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. Dvorak—Symphony No. 5 in E Minor. 95 ("The New World").

Played by the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

10.30 p.m. Organ and Choral Music.

The Heavens are Telling ("The Creation"—Haydn)—The Choir of Temple Church, London Organist and Director of Choir—C. Thalben Ball; The Holy City (Adams); The Kentucky Minstrels conducted by Leslie Woodgate, Reginald Foot at the Organ. Soloist—John Duncan. Evening Song (Baird); La Nuit (Eliot);—Harry Goss-Custard (Organist of the Cathedral) Played on the Organ of Liverpool Cathedral. Andante in D Flat (Lemare); Traumerel (Reverie—Schumann)—Edwin H. Lemare (Organ Solo).

11 p.m. Close down.

Teaching The Young To Behave

BIRCHING OPPOSED TO PSYCHO-ANALYSIS

Juvenile delinquents can be thrashed or psycho-analysed into good behaviour, according to the widely-differing views of sociologists.

In Leeds recently, addressing the Magistrates' Association, Stipendiary Magistrate Horace Marshall, M.A., declared that "the appalling increase" in juvenile crime was coincident with the cessation of corporal punishment. Chiefly to blame was the Home Office for its "complacent view that children will be children." Magistrate Marshall was educated at Eton, famous for its "executive block" across which countless generations of offenders have been laid, and soundly thrashed by birch-wielding masters. He is also the proud father of one son, one daughter, but if he had his way a new type of home for children would spring up, "a place of corporal punishment where under proper supervision delinquents can be given the birch."

OPPOSITE VIEW

An opposite view was simultaneously expressed by Raymond B. Cattell, former Leicester psycho-therapist, and now Research Associate at New York's Columbia University.

Mr. Cattell's wide experience in dealing with child crime in the City of Leicester leads him to believe that the root of many a young criminal's tendencies can be found in the records of the grandparents. The psycho-therapist's method of treating such cases is first to trace the origin of the symptoms, secondly to give the subject some

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10.45 a.m.—"At Home and Abroad." (A).

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11.30—Afternoon Musical Programme (A).

1.35 p.m.—The Chamber Music of Dvorak—The Griller String Quartet (D 1).

2.10—"The Private Soldier." Talk by Ian Hay (D 1).

2.25—Quentin Madcan at the Organ of the Trocadero Cinema (D 1).

2.50—News (D 1).

4.30—"At Home and Abroad." (A).

4.45—Sporting News and Notes (A).

5.25—Commentary on News (A).

5.40—"Gunpowder," by Professor E.J. Hartung (A).

6.00—"As You Like It." (A).

6.45—"Saturday Night Sing-Song." (D 2).

6.50—"Emma and Erbert." (A).

7.00—"At the Sign of the Maison Rouge." (A).

7.45—"Pirates." Talk by Richard Hughes (D 2); Harry Bloom's Dance Orchestra (A).

8.00—The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra (D 2).

8.50—Recorded Feature (A).

9.00—"Music from Finland." Programme of gramophone records (D 2).

9.30—News (D 2).

10.00—"Gaffer and Gavotte." (D 3).

10.30—Experimental broadcast on behalf of Philips Radio Eindhoven (H. I.).

11.00—Pianoforte Recital by Maurice Cole (D 3).

11.15—Concert Party (D 3).

12.20 a.m.—Dance Music from Southend (D 3).

12.00—News (D 3).

12.40—"World Affairs." Talk by A.P. Newton (D 3).

A—Australia.
D.I.—Daventry, Trans. I.
D.II.—Daventry, Trans. II.
D.III.—Daventry, Trans. III.
H.I.—Holland-India.

JULY'S FAIR WEATHER

The Royal Observatory's report on the weather of July states:—
The very hot weather of the last week in June continued during the first two days of July, but on the 3rd a thunderstorm brought much-needed rain and a welcome decrease in temperature. For the remainder of the month the temperature was normal, and the weather was mainly fair with frequent showers. There was a short spell of dry sunny weather from the 11th to 15th.
The mean temperature for the month was 82.3 deg. F. which is normal. The maximum of 94.0 deg. which occurred on the 1st is equal to the highest temperature previously recorded in July. A minimum of 76.4 deg. was recorded on the 5th. The mean relative humidity was 83 per cent, which is normal.
Sunshine amounted to 205 hours, against a normal of 212 hours. The total rainfall was 12.23 inches, which is 2.78 inches less than normal. Rain fell on 23 days during the month.
The maximum wind velocity in a gust was 44 m.p.h. at 2 p.m. on the 9th, due to a small typhoon which was then moving northward across Hainan.

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2nd August, 1938. [6169]

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All claims must reach us before the 6th Sept., 1938, or they will not be recognized.

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Hong Kong, 30th July, 1938.

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All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 15th Aug. or they will not be recognized.

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EIGHT WARSHIPS NEAR NAMOA

Swatow, August 2.

Only eight Japanese warships are now anchored near Namoa Island; the rest having steamed away.—(Central News).

Dr. E. Bracklo, Acting Consul-General, has taken charge of the German Consulate-General in Shanghai.

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Kungchow, B. & S., August 7.
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Hobart.

Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Hoihow, B. & S., August 4.
Kungchow, B. & S., August 7.
Hui Lee, Thoresen's, August 10.
Munam, B. & S., August 10.
Kwangtung, B. & S., August 13.

Hongay.

Sinkiang, B. & S., August 15.
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Chinese Prince, Furness, August 14.

Manila.

Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollars, August 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., August 11.
Change, B. & S., August 16.
C/Biancamano, Lloyd Trieste, Aug. 21.
Chinese Prince, Furness, August 14.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 25.
Gneisenau, Melchers, August 25.
Silveryew, Furness, August 28.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 9.

Melbourne.

Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Change, B. & S., August 16.

Pakhoi.

Kungchow, B. & S., August 7.
Kwangtung, B. & S., August 13.

Rabat.

Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 5.
Friderun, Melchers, August 11.

Saigon.

Felix Roussel, Messageries, August 4.
Tegelberg, J.C.J. Line, August 7.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, August 18.

Swatow.

Friderun, Melchers, August 11.

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African Ports.

Tegelberg, J.C.J. Line, August 7.

Taranga, Thoresen's, August 17.

Antwerp.

Glenapp, J.M. & Co., August 3.

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Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 12.

Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.

Taranga, Thoresen's, August 17.

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Pres. Adams, Dollars, August 7.

Chinese Prince, Furness, August 14.

Silveryew, Furness, August 28.

Bremen.

Aller, Melchers, August 3.

Donau, Melchers, August 19.

Gneisenau, Melchers, August 25.

Bombay.

Rawalpindi, P. & O., August 6.

Pres. Adams, Dollars, August 7.

Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 9.

Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.

Naldera, P. & O., August 20.

C/Biancamano, Lloyd Trieste, Aug. 21.

Bromborough.

Tisaa, B. & S., August 22.

Calcutta.

Hosang, J.M. & Co., August 9.

Sirdhana, B.I. (Apar), August 10.

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Caracas.

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Bangalore, P. & O., August 13.

Taranga, Thoresen's, August 17.

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G.G. Paul Doumer, French, 734 registered tons, Capt. P. B. Morganti, from Saigon, at buoy No. B2, a.m.—M. M. (Tel. 28851).

Tjibadak, Dutch, 4,801 registered tons, Captain van Rees, from Java and Muntok, at buoy No. A7, a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Cremor, Dutch, 2,785 registered tons, Captain Ahlers, from Amoy, at buoy No. A8 a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Corfu, British, 7,685 registered tons, Captain J. K. Chaplin, from London via Singapore, at Kowloon Wharf, 9 a.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Emperess of Asia, British, 8,883 registered tons, Captain G. Gould, from Manila, at Kowloon Wharf, 6 a.m.—C. P. S. (Tel. 20752).

Bhutan, British, from Europe and Singapore, at Kowloon Wharf, p.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Glenishel, British, from London and Singapore, at Holt's Wharf, a.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30331).

Aller, German, 4,741 registered tons, Captain A. Boehm, from Japan and Shanghai, at Kowloon Wharf, p.m.—Melchers & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Besholt, Norwegian, from Taku Bar, at buoy No. A2, 6 p.m.—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

DUE TOMORROW

Felix Roussel, French, 9,400 registered tons, Captain J. Georges, from Japan and Shanghai, at Kowloon Wharf, daylight—M. M. (Tel. 28851).

Hong Kheng, British, 3,975 registered tons, Capt. D. R. Banerman, from Poochow and Swatow, at buoy A7, a.m.—Ho Thong & Co. (Tel. 26127).

Hai Hing, Norwegian, 1,445 registered tons, Capt. E. R. Hannevig, from Singapore and Holhow, at buoy No. B2, a.m.—Thoresen and Co. (Tel. 30237).

Suiyang, British, 1,594 registered tons, Captain L. V. Rowe, from buoy No. B2, for Haiphong, noon.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Holhow, British, 1,629 registered tons, Captain O. Fox, from buoy No. B2, for Swatow, Poochow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo, and Tientsin, 6 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Stechuen, British, 1,594 registered tons, Capt. T. E. Michelmore, from buoy B2, for Haiphong, 6 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Corfu, British, 7,685 registered tons, Captain J. K. Chaplin, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, noon—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Tanda, British, 4,484 registered tons, Captain E. T. Plicher, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, 6 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Cremor, Dutch, 2,785 registered tons, Captain Ahlers, from buoy No. A8, for Singapore and Bali a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Hai Hing, Norwegian, 1,445 registered tons, Capt. E. R. Hannevig, from Kwangtung for Shanghai.

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Produce, Norwegian, 743 registered tons, Captain E. Winsnes, from Pakhol, at buoy No. B8—Cheong Fat Lee (Tel. 32584).

Nellere, British, 4,291 registered tons, from Mgl, at Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Friderun, German, 1,470 registered tons, Capt. G. Bloem, from Madang and Rabaul, at Kowloon Wharf—Melchers & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Holhow, British, 1,629 registered tons, Captain O. Fox, from Swatow, at buoy No. B2—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Tyndareus, British, from Seattle, Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A11—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Tanda, British, 4,484 registered tons, Captain E. T. Plicher, from Australia, Rabaul, and Manila, at Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

President Doumer, French, 6,892 registered tons, Captain E. Martin, from Marseilles and Saigon, at Kowloon Wharf—M. M. (Tel. 26851).

Taiyuan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Captain Fraser, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B2—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Sawokla, American, 3,687 registered tons, Captain S. J. Lee, from Manila, at buoy No. A3—Thoresen and Co. (Tel. 30237).

Lyder Sagen, Norwegian, 2,391 registered tons, Captain Frick, from Shanghai, at Lai Chi Kok Wharf—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Athelqueen, British, 5,145 registered tons, Capt. A. H. Waterson, from Hullo, at P. C. M. Wharf—P. C. Molasses & Co. (Tel. 22787).

Tak Sang, British, 1,937 registered tons, Captain W. A. Balch, from Swatow, at West Point Wharf—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30331).

SAILING TOMORROW

Hin Sang, British, 1,885 registered tons, Capt. A. D. Kelman, from buoy No. B22, for Sandakan, 10 a.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30331).

Suiyang, British, 1,594 registered tons, Captain L. V. Rowe, from buoy No. B2, for Haiphong, noon.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Holhow, British, 1,629 registered tons, Captain O. Fox, from buoy No. B2, for Swatow, Poochow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo, and Tientsin, 6 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Stechuen, British, 1,594 registered tons, Capt. T. E. Michelmore, from buoy B2, for Haiphong, 6 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Corfu, British, 7,685 registered tons, Captain J. K. Chaplin, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, noon—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Tanda, British, 4,484 registered tons, Captain E. T. Plicher, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, 6 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Cremor, Dutch, 2,785 registered tons, Captain Ahlers, from buoy No. A8, for Singapore and Bali a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

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SAILING TODAY

Besholt, Norwegian, from buoy No. A2, for Manila, San Francisco, Portland and Los Angeles, p.m.—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Sawokla, American, 3,687 registered tons, Captain S. J. Lee, from buoy No. A3, for New York, Boston via Panama, p.m.—Thoresen and Co. (Tel. 30237).

Tai Foo Sek, French, 1,219 registered tons, Captain J. Bonnamour, from buoy No. B4, for K. C. Wan, 4 p.m.—Tal Fung & Co. (Tel. 20993).

Proteus, Norwegian, 1,205 registered tons, Captain A. S. Bugge, from buoy No. C1, for Holhow & Bangkok, p.m.—Wing Fong Cheung (Tel. 24978).

Agamemnon, British, 4,662 registered tons, Captain J. Connor, from Holt's Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Peter Maersk, Danish, 3,434 registered tons, Capt. Schmidt, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila, p.m.—Jebson & Co. (Tel. 31205).

Shirala, British, 4,782 registered tons, Captain T. S. Beedle, from Kowloon Wharf, for Japan ports, 10 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Kingyuan, British, 1,546 registered tons, Captain N. Hardie, from buoy No. B14, for Swatow and Shanghai, 6 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Aller, German, 4,741 registered tons, Captain A. Boehm, from Kowloon Wharf, for Singapore, Marseilles, Oran, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Bremen, p.m.—Melchers and Co. (Tel. 27721).

President Doumer, French, 6,892 registered tons, Captain E. Martin, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, daylight—M. M. (Tel. 26851).

Sagres, British, 1,488 registered tons, Captain J. M. Morren, from Douglas Wharf, for Swatow, Amoy and Poochow, 4 p.m.—Douglas and Co. (Tel. 28037).

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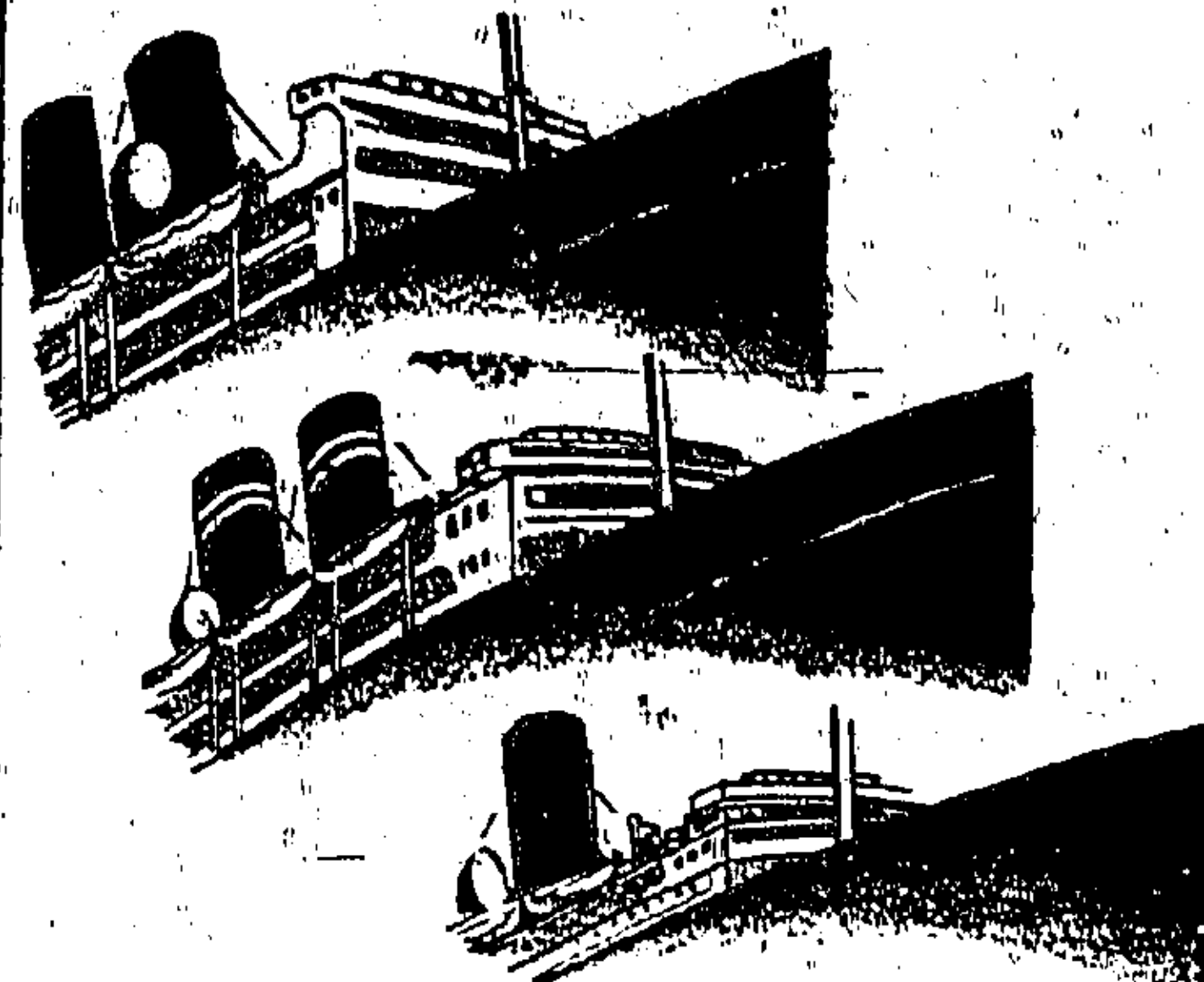
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NALDERA	17,000	20th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
CORFU	15,000	3rd Sept.	Marseilles & London
*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Sept.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hull, H'burg, R'dam, & A'werp
(HITRAL	17,000	17th Sept.	Marseilles & London
*BEHAR	6,000	24th Sept.	B'bay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hull, H'burg, R'dam, & A'werp
CARTRIDGE	14,500	1st Oct.	Marseilles & London
*SOUDAN	6,000	8th Oct.	B'bay, Marseilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam, & A'werp
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CORFU	14,500	4th Aug. Noon	Shanghai & Japan
TANDA	7,000	4th Aug. 2 p.m.	Shanghai & Japan
*BHUTAN	6,000	8th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan
*BEHAR	6,000	14th Aug.	do
CHITRAL	14,500	28th Aug.	do
TILAWA	10,000	18th Aug.	Japan
CARTRIDGE	14,500	1st Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
*SOUDAN	6,000	1st Sept.	Shanghai & Japan

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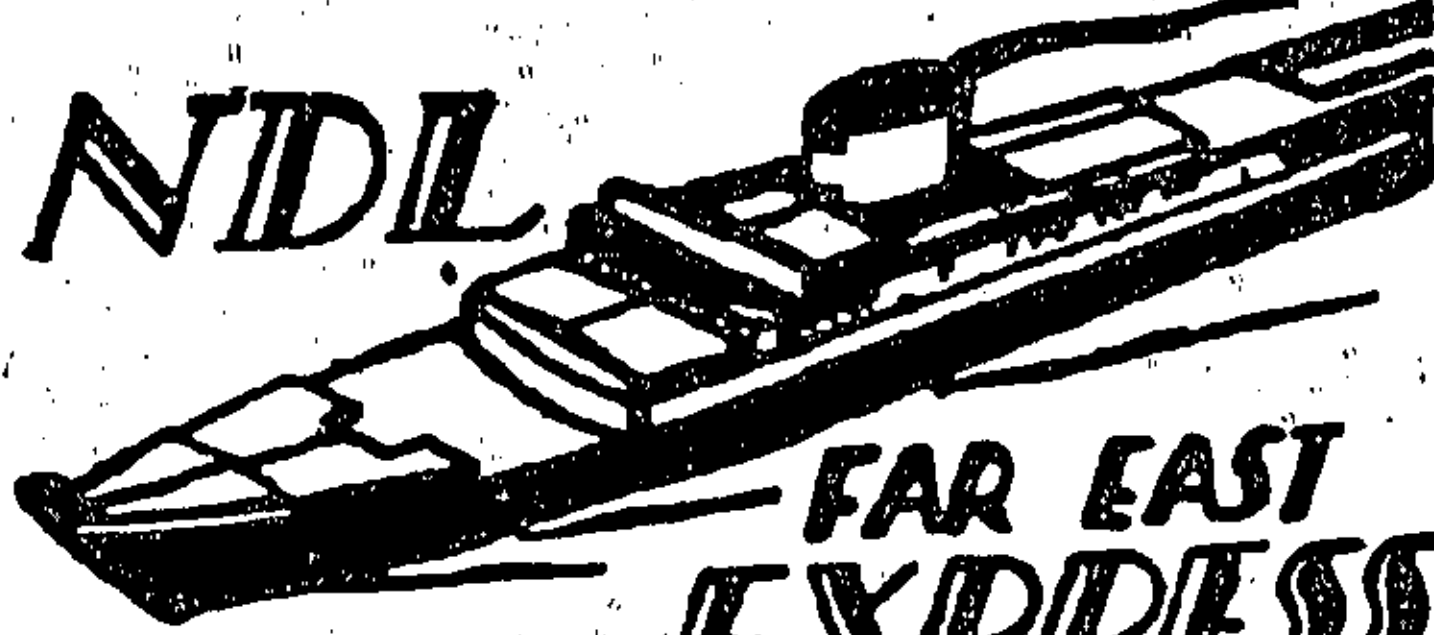
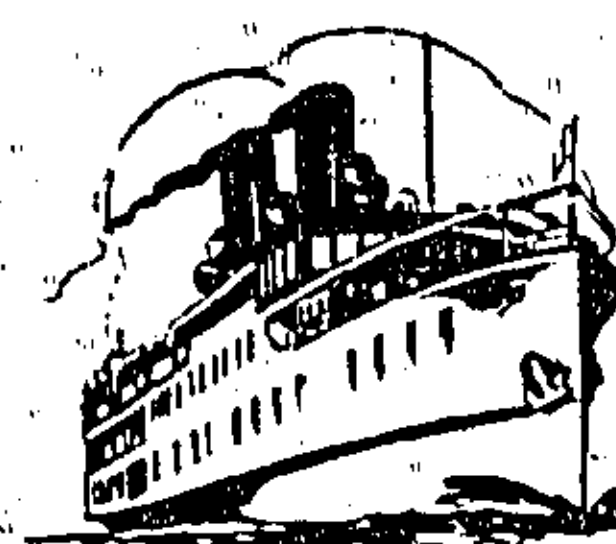
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CONFLICT WITH THIRD POWER DISTURBING TO JAPANESE IN VIEW OF HANKOW OFFENSIVE

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size of the clash is certainly alarming, says the paper, but even this is not new. It is true generally that countries do not go to war because of frontier incidents but because they have made up their minds to go to war for other reasons, but in this case, both Russia and Japan would seem to have best reasons for keeping peace.

But it must be admitted, the paper continues, that a more dangerous site than Changkufeng could hardly have been chosen. The situation is serious partly because of the strategic importance of this area but still more because of the stubborn attitude adopted by the two parties in the dispute. The Manchester Guardian states that on the Russian side this may be due to a desire to revenge the diplomatic defeat over the last incident on the Amur; on the Japanese side it may be most likely due to an exaggerated belief in the weakness of the Red Army in the Far East caused by General Lushkoff's recent flight to Japan from Siberia.

If the two Governments do not want war it would seem to be the merest common sense that they should establish a joint commission, first to settle the dispute and then to demarcate the frontier.

Unfortunately they have been trying to do this very thing for three years without success.

The frontier should be the same as that agreed upon by Tsarist Russia and Imperialist China but this frontier is defined by various treaties some of which the Japanese recognise and some of which they do not.

A SUSPICION

The Manchester Guardian continues to say that there is also a suspicion that Japan does not want the frontier demarcated at all but revised to Manchukuo's advantage but it would be a tragedy if the two countries blundered into a war for pride and prejudice.

An offer to mediate from a third Power would almost certainly be rejected indignantly by Japan but it might at least bring her to her senses. If so, it would be worth making.

From the nature of the claims this dispute is one in which one party must be right and the other wrong—a dispute which can be settled only by argument or arbitration, and not by force of arms. (Reuter).

DISTURBING FOR JAPAN

Berlin, August 2.

Though comments are yet few attention in the press is generally focussed on news from the Far East. There is a tendency to blame Moscow and the papers hasten to report Japanese successes in the clashes.

The Berliner Tageblatt expatiating reasons for Soviet military activities comments that it is quite obvious the Russians are trying to assist the Chinese with a view to threatening the general Japanese attacks on Hankow.

At no time could a serious conflict with another Power be more disturbing for Japan than at this hour when she is about to launch her great offensive against the stronger centre of resistance in China.

The paper adds that the whole affair is a disturbing factor for Japan but not dangerous because the Japanese never overlooked for as single moment the possibility that Moscow at some time might utilise Japan's engagement in China for sly attacks.

Japan, however, has been holding not a few of her best divisions in reserve or such eventualities.

Marshal Bleicher must know this and undoubtedly he will think twice before embarking on further provocation which is fraught with serious consequences. (Reuter).

RUSSIA'S AIMS

London, August 2

The Times, discussing the background of the present tension, considers that at the moment all that the Russian Government aims at is preventing the withdrawal of Japanese troops from the Manchurian frontier for use in the operations around Hankow. (Transocean).

TOO LOCAL NATURE

Paris, August 2.

The latest occurrences on the Soviet-Manchurian frontier are the chief theme of discussion in Paris newspapers today.

In political circles, the events, it is true, are regarded as very grave but the view nevertheless prevails that they are of but too local a nature to become the start point of a great Soviet-Japanese conflict.

Paris newspapers, in this connection, publish reports during the last four days 200,000 Japanese troops from North China and Shansi have been transferred via Tientsin to Manchuria and that other troop movements of the same kind continue.

Moreover, numerous transports have arrived in Dairen, on the Kwangtung Peninsula. A report received via London and Shanghai, states that the internal situation in Manchuria is strained on account of the activity of the Chinese ex-Communists belonging to the 8th Route Army. (Transocean).

JAPANESE PROTEST REJECTED

Moscow, August 2.

Foreign circles here continue to take a serious view of the situation caused by the recent incidents on the Manchurian frontier.

According to well-informed quarters, the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Shigemitsu, was instructed by his Government yesterday to re-establish the diplomatic relations with the Soviet Foreign Commissioner, M. Litvinov, after the status quo has been restored by the Japanese recapturing the Changkufeng hills.

Mr. Shigemitsu has not yet held a conversation with M. Litvinov but the Chief Secretary of the Japanese Embassy had lodged a protest with the Foreign Commissioner yesterday against the latest frontier violation.

The official of the Far East Department, however, rejected the protest as he wished to avoid further argument in view of the seriousness of the incidents. (Transocean).

MANCHUKUO PROTESTS

Tokyo, Aug. 2.

A protest was lodged this afternoon by Mr. Shimomura, Manchukuo Foreign Affairs Commissioner in North Manchuria, with the Soviet Government through the Soviet Consul-General at Harbin, according to official Japanese reports.

"All responsibility for the incidents must be assumed by the Soviet authorities," according to the Manchukuo Government which has filed a strong protest with the Soviet authorities against the illegal actions of Soviet soldiers at Changkufeng on July 14. Despite the protest the Soviet authorities took no steps to adjust the situation and showed an insincere attitude.

Moreover, Soviet soldiers fired on Japanese and Manchukuoan soldiers in the region, on July 29, which forced the troops to return fire in self-defence.

On August 1, a large number of bombers flew over Manchukuo territory and bombed places near the Manchukuo and Korean borders.

Against these actions the Manchukuo Government strongly protested to the Soviet Government while demanding the latter to immediately suspend such provocative actions. However, the Manchukuo Government is ready to enter into negotiations necessary for a settlement of the incidents if the Soviet Government revises its attitude. (Reuter).

REMAINS FOUND IN CENTRAL AUSTRALIA

90 Year-Old
Mystery

Adelaide, August 2.

At the South Australia Legislative Council meeting today, the Secretary announced that the remains of what appeared to be members of an expedition were found in central Australia.

The fate of the expedition, consisting of eight men, which started out 90 years ago has remained a mystery ever since and it is thought that the remains now discovered are those of the eight men. (Reuter Bulletin).

HEAVY FIGHTING RAGES NEAR HAIYEN

Shaoshan, Chekiang, Au. 2.
Heavy fighting between Chinese guerrillas and Japanese troops is raging at Fenkaikiao, a small village twenty kilometres north of Haiyen on the east Chekiang coast, with both sides suffering large casualties.

A bitter encounter occurred at Fenkaikiao and other points near Haiyen when Japanese troops, numbering 3,000 strong, converged on Haiyen in three columns from Chapoo, Kashiin, Haining, Shashen, and other places on July 30.

Determined to hold Haiyen, Chinese troops in strong numbers called to a halt the encroaching Japanese and fighting was heaviest at Fenkaikiao on the central column.

A grim struggle ensued, both sides using armoured cars and field guns. Several hundred Japanese troops were killed and wounded, while the Chinese losses numbered over 100, including a battalion and a company commander.

Menaced by Japanese flanking movement, Chinese troops after twenty four hours' gallant stand retreated from Fenkaikiao and took up new positions to the west of the village on July 31.

Early yesterday morning, the Chinese forces launched a counter-attack on Fenkaikiao. (Central News).

JAPANESE CAPTURE SUSUNG CLAIMED

Shanghai, August 2.

The town of Susung on the border of the provinces of Hupei and Anhwei, about 50 kilometres north of Kiukiang, was captured by the Japanese yesterday evening according to reports received at Shanghai yesterday.

The assault of the Japanese troops on the town was preceded by violent artillery bombardment. The Japanese thereupon penetrated into the city from the north meeting at first with fierce Chinese resistance.

After an hour of street fighting the town fell into the hands of the Japanese at 9 p.m.

Following the capture of Susung the Japanese immediately started the march on Huanhmel, about 30 kilometres southwest of Susung. (Transocean).

DEFENCE OF HUANGKEI

Hankow, Aug. 2.

Well-informed Chinese circles here are not worried over Japanese occupation of Susung, on the north bank of the Yangtze 30 miles north-east of Kiukiang, which was officially announced by a Japanese spokesman this morning and admitted by an official Chinese communiqué.

It can now be revealed that Reuter's correspondent was informed a week ago that Chinese forces would not defend Taihu and Susung as the Chinese Command had decided to make a determined stand at Huangkei, 15 miles to the south-east of Susung, where a strong line had been prepared.

The Chinese Command is rushing well-known fighting units commanded by generals who have distinguished themselves in south Shantung fighting to strengthen the Chinese forces. (Reuter).

SZECHUEN GOVERNMENT RESHUFFLE

Hankow, August 2.

A reshuffle of personnel of the Szechuen Provincial Government has been announced by the Executive Yuan.

General Wang Tsan-shu has been formally appointed Chairman of the Government, succeeding General Chang Chun, who has been appointed director of the Generalissimo's Provisional Headquarters at Chungking.

Messrs. Wu Chih-wei, Yang Lien, Ho Pei-heng and Chen Chu-shan have been appointed respectively Commissioners of Civil Affairs, Education, Reconstruction and Secretary-General of the Provincial Government.

Chungking's new Mayor is Mr. Chiang Tse-cheng. (Central News).

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Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 28th July.	Imperial Airways Plane	3rd Aug.
Tientsin and Swatow	Chungking	3rd Aug.
Java	Tjibadak	3rd Aug.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London date, 7th July—and London Parcels—London date, 30th June.	Corfu	3rd Aug.
Manila	Emp. of Asia	3rd Aug.
Straits	Bhutan	4th Aug.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia, London date, 14th July.	Felix Roussel	4th Aug.
Pakhoi	Szechuen	4th Aug.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 31st July.	Imperial Airways Plane	5th Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Rawalpindi	5th Aug.
Shanghai	Glenapp	5th Aug.
Shanghai and Swatow	Kiangsu	5th Aug.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 29th July.	Pan-American Airways Plane	6th Aug.
Straits	Perseus	6th Aug.
U.S.A. Honolulu and Japan—(San Francisco date, 12th July)	Pres. Adams	6th Aug.
Shanghai, Foochow and Amoy	Anking	6th Aug.
Haiphong	Canton	7th Aug.
Tientsin and Swatow	Yochow	7th Aug.
Calcutta and Straits	Suisang	8th Aug.
Japan	Tango Maru	8th Aug.
Australia and Manila	Changte	9th Aug.
Straits	Van Heutsen	9th Aug.
Shanghai	Menestheus	9th Aug.
Java and Manila	Tjinegara	9th Aug.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kalgan	9th Aug.
Japan	Morioka Maru	10th Aug.

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Samshui and Wuchow	Kongso	Wed. 3rd 8.15 AM
*Japan	Shirala	8.30 AM
Kongmoon	Pook On	10.00 AM
Fort Bayard	Taipeck	1.30 PM
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Bangkok	Proetus	3.30 PM
Swatow and Shanghai	Kingyuan	4.30 PM
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Straits	Cremer	5.00 PM
THURSDAY		
Samshui and Wuchow	Chung On	Thursday, 4th 8.15 AM
Sandakan	Hinsang	8.30 AM
Holhow	Chungking	8.30 AM
Haiphong	Suiyang	10.00 AM
Shanghai and Japan	Corfu	10.30 AM
Kongmoon	Tai Lee	11.00 AM
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & S. America and Europe via Vancouver B.C. (Parcels for Canada only)—due Vancouver B.C. 22nd August and Europe via Siberia	Empress of Asia	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 3.00 PM Ord. 4.10 PM 5.00 PM
Saigon, Ceylon, India, East & South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 31st August.	Felix Roussel	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.15 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
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Airmail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 11th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
FRIDAY		
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Friday, 5th 8.15 AM
Haiphong	G.G. Paul Doumer	9.00 AM
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane 22nd August	Nellore	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4th 5.00 PM Par. 5th 8.45 AM Ord. 5th 8.30 AM
Haiphong	Leesang	10.00 AM
Kongmoon	On Lee	10.00 AM
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	3.00 PM
*Swatow, Shanghai and Tientsin	Taksang	3.30 PM
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Holhow	4.30 PM
SATURDAY		
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 16th August.	Rawalpindi	Saturday, 6th G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 AM Ord. 10.00 AM
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, East & South Africa, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 2nd September.	Rawalpindi	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 5th 5.00 PM Reg. 6th 9.45 AM Ord. 6th 10.30 AM
Amoy and Shanghai	Tjibadak	4.00 PM
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kiangsu	5.00 PM
Amoy	Anhui	5.00 PM
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